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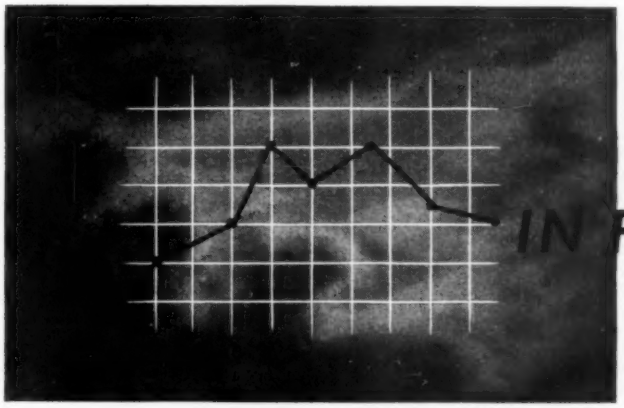

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APRIL 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 1952

10 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily. Last day 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Official Opening on Thursday, April 3rd, at 11 a.m. by G. H. BARENDT, Esq., M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Chairman, Southampton Borough Council Health Committee.

AMONGST THE EXHIBITS you will find Clinical Radon Service for Hospitals; Atomic Radiation Detection equipment; Anatomical models and charts; Administrative Control systems; Surgical Belts; Infant and Invalid food and beverages; Uniforms and materials; Nurses' watches; Antiseptics; Medical and Nursing books; Hospital equipment; Soaps; Dressings; Labour saving devices; Nurses' Outfitting; Anaesthetic equipment; Radiological products, etc.

LECTURES AND FILMS:

An almost continuous series of lectures and films from 10 a.m. daily, of professional interest to ALL Nurses. A complete programme is now available from the Secretary (see below).

COMPETITIONS

Several Competitions relative to spare time occupation of Nurses, are being arranged and Valuable Cash Prizes will be presented. Entry free. Forms are now ready

ADMISSION TICKETS giving times of lectures and films, are now available free, to Hospital Officers and Staffs, Doctors, Nurses, Student Nurses, and Health Officials, from The Secretary, Nursing Exhibition, 21 Grafton Way, London, W.1.

FFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

- per inch, minimum charge 10/-

AN BORD ALTRANAIS
RLD HEALTH ORGANISATION FELLOWSHIP

LTH VISITORS TUTORS' COURSE

World Health Organisation is willing available a Fellowship to enable a candidate of Irish nationality to the above course.

dates must:—

Registered General Nurses, holding lth Visitor's Certificate of the Royal Institute, London;

ave held a post as a Health Visitor ic Health Nurse for at least three er qualification;

between the ages of 28 and 35

ation forms and further particulars obtained from the Acting Chief Officer, An Bord Altranais, 31 Pembroke Street, Dublin.

atest date for receiving completed ap- forms is Tuesday, 1st April, 1952. (2221)

REUNIONS

- per inch, minimum charge 10/-

AYDAY HOSPITAL, CROYDON

Prize-Giving and Reunion, Thurs- April, 1952, 2.30 p.m.

m welcome is extended to former of the staff and trainees of the

ffery, Registrar of the General Nurs- ncil for England and Wales, has ndertaken to present the prizes.

.P. Matron. (2022)

ATS HOSPITAL, MANCHESTER, 4

Prize-Giving and Reunion will be Saturday, **April 5th,** at 3 p.m. A welcome is extended to past Ancoats trainees.

reply to Matron before Wednesday, nd. (2146)

UNITED SHEFFIELD HOSPITALS
ROYAL HOSPITAL UNIT
EST STREET, SHEFFIELD, 1

REUNION

nual **Reunion of Nurses** will be held Hospital on **Saturday, May 3rd, 1952,** m. A cordial invitation is extended past members of the Nursing Staff. n tea will be served at 3.5 p.m., fol- y dinner at Tapton Court at 7.30 p.m. tickets: 7s. 6d. each, can be obtained atron. (2210)

NING AND LECTURE COURSES

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EN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING
SCOTTISH BRANCH

ations are invited from State Regis- rses on the General Register to train en's **Nursing Sisters.** Duration of six months. Part II Midwifery train- n if not already State Certified Mid- Appointments are now available in urban areas to Queen's Nurses not the latter qualification. Training e paid at the rate of £140 per an- s emoluments valued at £100. y to the Superintendent, 26 Castle Edinburgh. (27)

TOW HOSPITAL, SAMSON STREET PLAISTOW, LONDON, E.13

Registered Nurses (Male or Female) for one year's Fever Training. ng allowance in accordance with Council scale (N.M.C. Circular No.

y to Matron. (1732)

ORIAL HOSPITAL, ROCHFORD ESSEX

and Female Applicants required for for the British Tuberculosis Associa- rtificate (for which this Hospital is d with the London Chest Hospital). rse for S.R.N. is one year; six will be spent at the London Chest or Arlesey Annexe, Beds, and six at this Hospital. In the case of un- pplicants, the course is for two ne year being spent at this Hospital r year at the London Chest Hospital ey Annexe. The salary and condi- r trained Nurses are according to the Council rulings; they will be graded Nurses. Untrained applicants will £205 during the first year and £215 the second year of training, plus cer- ndent allowances. If resident at the l, a charge at the rate of £100 per will be made.

cations should be sent to the Matron, rom further information may be ob- if desired. (1650)

NURSING RECRUITMENT SERVICE

Those wishing to become **Student Nurses** or **Pupil Assistant Nurses** can obtain full information, including particulars of Hospital Training Schools, with early vacancies, at the

NURSING RECRUITMENT CENTRE
21 Cavendish Square, London, W.1
(Telephone: LANgham 4362)

Enquiries welcomed by the Secretary. Interviews arranged by appointment. (4)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

Applications are invited from **Queen's** Nurses for the following posts:—

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
HOME NURSING SERVICE

Superintendent required for District Nurses' Home. General work only undertaken. Must be cyclist. If car owner, good car allowance is given. Assisted car purchase scheme is available.

Salary will be on the scale £410 x £25—£510 per annum, less £130 per annum for board and lodgings. Placement on this scale will be according to previous experience.

The person appointed will be required to pass a medical examination, and will be subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, or to Federated Scheme for Nurses, if already contributing there, in accordance with the regulations of the Ministry of Health.

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
HOME NURSING SERVICE
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS FOR KEY TRAINING HOME

Applications are invited from Queen's Nurses, preferably with a Health Visitor's Certificate, for the following posts:—

Assistant Superintendent (Senior grade). Salary: £420 x £20—£500 x £10 —£510 per annum, less emoluments of £130 per annum.

Assistant Superintendent. Salary: £400 x £20—£480 x £5—£485 per annum, less emoluments of £130 per annum.

General work only is undertaken. The applicants should be cyclists. If car owners, a good car allowance is given. Assisted car purchase scheme is available.

Conditions of service will be in accordance with the Whitley recommendations of Nurses Salaries Committee, and the successful candidates will be required to pass a medical examination.

The persons appointed will be subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, or to Federated Scheme for Nurses if already contributing thereto, in accordance with the regulations of the Ministry of Health.

NORTH LONDON (ISLINGTON) D.N.A.

Applications are invited from experienced Queen's Nurses for the post of **Assistant Superintendent.** It is hoped that the Home will be approved as a Training Home. Applicants should preferably have some experience in administration and hold the H.V. Certificate. General work only undertaken. F.S.S. or N.H.S. Superannuation Scheme.

NORTHAMPTON D.N.A.
(Part 2 Midwifery Training School)

1st Assistant Superintendent required to assist in training of Pupil Midwives and in general administration. Motorist, car provided if necessary. Residence in comfortable Home.

Two Midwives and Two S.R.N. for general work only also needed.

ST. HELENS D.N.A., LANCASHIRE
(Training Home)

First Assistant Superintendent required. H.V. Certificate not essential. Cyclist or car driver.

State Registered Nurses also needed to train for Queen's Roll. Six months' and four months' courses.

For further particulars apply Superintendent, 130 Dentons Green Lane, St. Helens.

WATFORD D.N.A. HERTFORDSHIRE
(Key Training Home)

Experienced Queen's Nurse required as **Assistant Superintendent, April 1st.** H.V. Certificate essential. Cyclist, and preferably motorist. Resident in Home.

CAMBERWELL
(Part 2 Midwifery Training School)

Queen's or S.R.N.s required for general nursing or midwifery. Cyclists or motorists, or willing to learn. Resident or non-resident. Attractive modern Home.

NORTH LONDON (ISLINGTON) D.N.A.

Two required for general work only. Possibility of an unfurnished flat, suitable for friends or husband and wife.

See displayed advertisement for Assistant Superintendent (Nursing) for Headquarters Staff of Queen's Institute of District Nursing.

Apply, unless otherwise stated, to the Deputy General Superintendent, Q.I.D.N., 57 Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (2294)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

STUDENT DISTRICT NURSES FOR QUEEN'S ROLL

State Registered Nurses on the General Register can train in District Nursing for the Queen's Roll Certificate in **six months.**

Existing District Nurses (S.R.N.s) can train in **four months,** also Nurses holding H.V. or Tutor's Certificates.

Apply General Superintendent, Q.I.D.N., 57 Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (2291)

THE NATIONAL HOSPITAL, QUEEN SQUARE LONDON, W.C.1

POST-GRADUATE NURSING SCHOOL

There are vacancies for March, April, May, August and September.

Duration of course: One year. Block system of education. Whitley scale of salaries (Staff Nurses).

Nurses on the General Register interested in Neurological and Neurosurgical Nursing should apply to Matron. (1549)

ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

Courses for General trained S.R. Nurses in preparation for:—

(a) Health Visiting. Nine months. Approved by the Ministry of Health.
(b) Industrial Nursing. Six months' Course.
(c) i. Sister Tutors. Two years whole-time.
ii. Health Visitor Tutors. One year whole-time.
iii. Industrial Nurse Tutors.
iv. District Nurse Tutors.
(d) Ward Sister's Course. Three months, September to December, 1952.
(e) Diploma in Nursing. University of London. Part A, one year, part-time, Tuesdays and Thursdays.
(f) Nurse Administrators. (i) Hospital. (ii) Public Health. (iii) Industrial. One academic year.
(g) Teaching of Parentcraft. Part-time approved by the Ministry of Health.

Refresher Courses

(1) Ward Sisters: May 5th—10th.
(2) Private Nurses and General State Registered Nurses working in non-State and Private Schools: April 17—19th.
(3) Health Visitors, School Nurses and Tuberculosis Visitors:
(a) 29th March—10th April, in Hull.
(b) 7th—19th July, 1952, in London.
(c) 6th—18th October, 1952, in London.
(4) Public Health Nurse Administrators and Tutors: September 15th—19th, 1952.

Apply to the Director, Education Department, Royal College of Nursing, 1a Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, W.1. (9)

ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING
SCOTTISH BOARD

Post-Certificate Course in preparation for:

(a) **The Tutor's Certificate** of the University of Edinburgh. One academic year whole-time.

(b) **Ward Sister's Certificate.** Three months whole-time, beginning September 9th, 1952.

Further particulars from the Tutor, Scottish Board, 44 Heriot Row, Edinburgh. (172)

CORPORATION OF GLASGOW HEALTH AND WELFARE DEPARTMENT
HEALTH VISITORS' TRAINING
Course Beginning September, 1952

Applications are invited from State Registered General trained Nurses between the ages of 25 and 34, holding the first Certificate or the full Certificate of the Central Midwives Board. For candidates who have been with the Services, the age limit is 38 years.

(1) Assisted Course for Probationer Health Visitors.

Engagement is for approximately seven months at £3 10s. per week, during which time training is given for the Health Visitor's Certificate. Thereafter candidates are required to give one year's service as Health Visitors at the minimum salary of the grade. Successful candidates to the course will require to pass a medical examination.

(2) Non-Assisted Course of Training.

There will be a limited number of vacancies for independent candidates paying their own fees who wish to take the above course, which extends from September to April; fees: £5 5s.

Applications for either course should be made on a form to be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Health and Welfare Department, 23 Montrose Street, Glasgow, C.1, and should be returned by 12th April, 1952. (2008)

BATTERSEA POLYTECHNIC
LONDON, S.W.11
HYGIENE DEPARTMENT

Sister Tutor's Course (University of London) of two years' duration, 1952—54. An entrance examination will be held on 8th May next for men and women intending to enter for the Course commencing in September, 1952.

Health Visitor's Course (Royal Sanitary Institute) of three terms' duration. Courses commence in April, September and January.

Refresher Course for Sister Tutors and Health Visitors. It is intended to hold a Refresher Course from 13th to 18th July at Eastbourne if sufficient applicants apply. Approximate cost, including board and lodgings, nine guineas.

Applications for any of the above Courses should be made as soon as possible to the Head of the Department of Hygiene and Public Health. (2012)

BRADFORD ROYAL INFIRMARY
(507 Beds)
Preliminary Training School for Nurses

Vacancies May, September and November, 1952, for three months' course prior to three years' general training. Age 18 to 32.

Nurses on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' course in general training.

Domestic Pupils. Well-educated girls accepted for training at the above Hospital may obtain preliminary experience in administrative depts. prior to entering Nursing School. Age 17 years.

Applications to Lady Superintendent. (2315)

All advertisements are now inserted without delay and should be addressed to the Manager "Nursing Times," Messrs. Macmillan & Co., Ltd., St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2. ***Telephone:*** **WHItehall 8831.** ***Telegrams:*** **Publish, Lesquare, London**

LINCOLNSHIRE (PARTS OF HOLLAND) COUNTY COUNCIL

TRAINING OF HEALTH VISITORS

The Council are prepared to grant Bursaries to two Students wishing to take a course of training to qualify as Health Visitors. Each bursary will consist of a payment of £3 a week during training, the County Council also paying all fees for the Course. In return, the Nurse will be required to give an undertaking to serve the County Council as a Health Visitor for two years, if required, after qualifying.

Further particulars may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Boston, Lincs.

H. C. MARRIS,
Clerk of the County Council.
County Hall, Boston, Lincs.

6th March, 1952. (1996)

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ASSISTED TRAINING FOR HEALTH VISITOR'S CERTIFICATE

Student Health Visitors required for Training Courses commencing Autumn, 1952. Applicants should be under 35 and must be S.R.N. and C.M.B. (Part I). Those selected for training will be required to serve the Council for 18 months after qualifying.

Salary during training: 70 per cent minimum Health Visitor's scale, and uniform allowance, full minimum salary after qualifying. Two-thirds tuition and examination fees and travelling expenses refunded, balance on loan. Free choice of course. Text books and overalls, etc., provided. Posts superannuable.

Further particulars and application forms from County Medical Officer, East Cliff County Offices, Preston. (1936)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF WARRINGTON HOME NURSING SERVICE

Warrington Key Training Home

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for Queen's Institute District Training at the above Key Training Home.

Trainees should preferably be under 35 years of age, and during training will receive an allowance of £140 per annum, with emoluments to the value of £100, in accordance with the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council. Superannuation contributions are continued during training.

Forms of application may be obtained from the undersigned, to whom completed application forms should be forwarded not later than Monday, 7th April, 1952.

ERIC H. MOORE,
Medical Officer of Health.

Health Department, Sankey Street, Warrington. (2206)

UNIVERSITY OF BRISTOL

MIDWIFE TEACHERS' CERTIFICATE COURSE

Provided a sufficient number of applications are received by 30th June, 1952, this course will be held during the session 1952—53.

Particulars and application forms may be obtained from the undersigned.

H. C. BUTTERFIELD,
Registrar and Secretary.
(2214)

CITY OF EDINBURGH PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

TRAINING COURSE FOR HEALTH VISITOR'S CERTIFICATE

Applications are now being received for enrolment in the Training Course for the Health Visitor's Certificate, to be conducted in the Public Health Department at Edinburgh during the session from October, 1952, to April, 1953. Applicants should be State Registered General trained Nurses and hold the Certificate of the Central Midwives Board, Part I or Part II.

The Health Visitor's Certificate is awarded after examination by the Royal Sanitary Association of Scotland, and is recognised by the Royal Sanitary Institute in England.

The closing date for applications is 31st May, 1952.

Details as to the scope of the Course and the fees payable may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Johnston Terrace, Edinburgh, 1. (2230)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

HEALTH VISITORS' TRAINING COURSE AT BOLTON

Applications are now being received for the Health Visitors' Training Course at Bolton Municipal Technical College. The next Course begins in mid-September, 1952, and is of nine months' duration.

Application forms may be obtained from the Organising Tutor, Bolton Technical College, Manchester Road, Bolton, Lancashire, or from the Queen's Institute of District Nursing, 57 Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (2292)

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL TEACHING GROUP

SPECIAL ONE YEAR'S COURSE IN OPHTHALMIC NURSING

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for the post of Staff Nurse at the Surbiton branch of the Royal Eye Hospital. Lectures and Certificate given.

Apply Matron, King's College Hospital, S.E.5. (69)

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ESSEX

WHY NOT TRAIN TO BE A HEALTH VISITOR?

Essex, being both urban and rural in character and close to the Metropolis, offers excellent training facilities for **Student Health Visitors**, with good and varied experience afterwards.

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses possessing the Certificate (or at least Part I) of the Central Midwives Board, and of a high educational standard. Successful candidates during training receive an inclusive salary at the rate of £275 a year (less superannuation deductions) and financial assistance towards fees, travelling and other expenses. They will be required, when qualified, to work as Health Visitors in Essex at salaries in accordance with the recommendations of the Whitley Council.

The next Course will commence in September, 1952, at the South-East Essex Technical College, Dagenham. Interviews will be held in May.

Write to the County Medical Officer of Health, County Hall, Chelmsford, for application forms and further particulars. Canvassing forbidden. (x1795)

THE ROBERT JONES AND AGNES HUNT ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, OSWESTRY

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE—GROUP 27, BIRMINGHAM REGION

ORTHOPAEDIC NURSING—POST-GRADUATE COURSE

Training course of one year's duration offered to State Registered Nurses interested in Orthopaedic Nursing. Students are prepared for the Examination of the Joint Examination Board (British Orthopaedic Association and Central Council for the Care of Cripples). Salary in accordance with the Whitley Council scales.

Apply to Matron for full particulars. (2276)

STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL, AYLESBURY BUCKS

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

Plastic Surgical Unit. There are a limited number of vacancies for Course commencing 1st June. Duration, six months, with theoretical and practical experience. Whitley scale of salary as for Staff Nurses.

National Spinal Injuries Centre. There are vacancies for S.R.N.s and S.E.A.N.s (Male and Female) for Courses commencing 1st June, September, December and March. Duration of Courses, three months, with theoretical and practical experience.

Refund of salary and superannuation contributions to the Hospital Authorities concerned. Resident or non-resident.

Full particulars from Matron. (2192)

BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND EYE HOSPITAL

CHURCH STREET, BIRMINGHAM, 3

(156 Beds)

OPHTHALMIC NURSING DIPLOMA POST-GRADUATE COURSE

There are a limited number of vacancies for General trained Nurses to obtain training and qualify for the Diploma of the Ophthalmic Nursing Board. Curriculum covers one year (excluding holiday). Whitley recommendations (Staff Nurse).

Apply to Matron for full particulars. (2268)

THE GLASGOW DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION

Affiliated with the Queen's Institute of District Nursing (Scottish Branch)

Applications are invited from **State Registered Nurses** to qualify for the **Queen's Roll.** Duration of training, six months. Salary at the rate of £140 per annum, plus emoluments valued at £100. Midwifery training arranged for those not holding the Certificate and desirous of taking it.

For particulars apply to Nursing Superintendent, Room 10, 266 George Street, Glasgow. (2090)

WARWICKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following appointments. Where accommodation is available, rent is charged at Rushcliffe rates.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVES

having completed approved training in district nursing:—

Area 6. Kenilworth. One, motorist. Furnished or unfurnished accommodation.

Rural district near Leamington. One motorist. Furnished or unfurnished cottage.

Application forms and particulars may be obtained from Area Medical Officer, 38 Holly Walk, Leamington Spa.

SENIOR RELIEF STAFF

Interesting work for Senior Relief Staff, who will, as far as possible, be placed in a given area and will be required to assist generally in all branches of the Nursing Service. An opportunity of good experience for those interested in promotion. Applicants should be S.R.N., S.C.M., and hold District Nursing and Health Visiting Certificates. Recent practice in Midwifery essential. Furnished or unfurnished accommodation available.

TRAINING FACILITIES

Health Visiting. Bursaries £150 or £225, according to length of course. One year contract.

District Nursing. Training arranged and all expenses paid—if combined with health visiting training, bursary—one year contract.

The Council is a member of the Queen's Institute of District Nursing.

Application forms and full particulars may be obtained from the County Medical Officer of Health, Shire Hall, Warwick.

L. EDGAR STEPHENS,
Clerk of the Council.

Shire Hall, Warwick.
8th March, 1952. (2093)

HEREFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

HEALTH VISITORS

Applications are invited from qualified **Health Visitors** for appointments in Hereford City.

Salaries will be in accordance with the Whitley Council scales.

Application forms and particulars may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, 35 Bridge Street, Hereford. (2100)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACA

16/- per inch, minimum charge

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY C HOME NURSING AND SERVICE

Applications are invited for the posts. Preference given to Queen's Sisters.

Barton Stacey. Single district area between Winchester and Generalised duties of nursing and health visiting and school nursing undertaken. Health Visitor's essential. Unfurnished modern car provided (or allowance given car).

West Tytherley. Single district area between Romsey and Salisbury. alised duties of nursing and midwifery visiting and school nursing to be Health Visitor's Certificate essential. nished rooms available and car allowance given for own car).

Gosport. General Nurse required of three in comfortable home. motorist.

Salaries and conditions of service ance with Whitley Council decision.

Application forms may be obtained and should be returned completed County Medical Officer, The Castle, ter.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF DARL

Applications are invited for the ment of **Health Visitor.** Applicants possess the Health Visitor's Certificate Royal Sanitary Institute. Salary accordance with the recommendations Whitley Council.

The post is subject to the provisions the Local Government Superannuation 1937, and the successful candidate required to pass a medical examination.

Applications on the prescribed form will be supplied on request, and turned to the Medical Officer of Feethams, Darlington, within fourteen from the publication of the advertisement.

DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUN PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTM

TRAINING OF HEALTH VISITO

Applications are invited from State tered Nurses under 35 years of age ing the Certificate of the Central Board, or the first Certificate under Central Midwives Board's rules, for as Health Visitors in accordance following conditions:—

(1) The County Council will be for the full cost of training at Training Centres.

(2) Students will be paid the of the minimum Health Visitor's namely, £277 10s., according to the Council scale for the first 12 months proximately 7½ months of this period spent at the course and the remainder Health Visitor under the County Co

(3) No allowance will be paid uniform, nor will uniform be provided

(4) Students will be required to their own accommodation.

(5) Students will be required to medical examination.

(6) It will be a condition of appointment that if required the candidate will the staff of the County Council for two years after the completion of

Applications, giving full particulars qualifications, age, etc., should be to the undersigned as soon as possible

J. B. S. MORGAN,
County Medical

County Offices, Derby.

WILTS COUNTY COUNCIL

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVE HIGHWORTH

Applications are invited for this ment. Furnished rooms provided. tial. Loan facilities for car avail travelling allowances paid. Nurses wives Whitley Council salary scale annuable appointment.

Application forms from the undersigned be returned by April 5th, 1952.

P. A. SELBORNE STRING
Clerk of the County

County Hall, Trowbridge.
4-3-52.

DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COU HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Home Nurses, S.R.N., required in lowing areas: Borrowash (house avail this area); Buxton; Ilkeston; New

Home Nurse-Midwife, S.R.N., S.C. quired in the Brimington (Chesterfield

Canvassing disqualifies.

Application forms and service from County Medical Officer, St. Mary Derby, to be returned by March 15

WALSALL VICTORIA NURS INSTITUTION

State Registered Nurses, Male or required for Home Nursing. motorist. Whitley Council recom

Apply for full particulars, Lady tendent, 57 Lichfield Street, Walsall.

DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Health Visitors required in various parts of the County. Whitley Council's salary and conditions of service. Posts pensionable. Nursing disqualifies.

Application forms and service conditions from County Medical Officer, St. Mary's Gate, Derby, to be returned by 31st March, 1952. (1999)

CITY AND COUNTY OF BRISTOL
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Applications are invited from qualified persons, with or without the Health Visitor's Certificate, for the posts (three) of **Tuberculosis Visitors** in the local Health Authority's Tuberculosis Service for Prevention, Care and After-Care.

Duties will include special home visiting and assistance in Clinics with the Chest Physician.

Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scale, i.e.: £370 x £15—£475 x £20—£495 per annum for those holding the Health Visitor's Certificate, or £350 x £15—£455 x £20 per annum without the Health Visitor's Certificate.

Appointments are superannuable and subject to passing a medical examination.

Applications, to be made on forms to be obtained from the undersigned, should be received not later than 29th March, 1952.

Canvassing, directly or indirectly, will disqualify.

R. H. PARRY,
Medical Officer of Health.

Health Clinic, Tower Hill,
Bristol, 3. 3rd March, 1952. (2006)

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL
HEALTH DEPARTMENT
APPOINTMENT OF
DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVES

Applications are invited for the following posts:—

District Nurse-Midwife, S.R.N., S.C.M., Morpeth. Full board-residence provided in comfortably furnished Nurses' Home, accommodating two other Nurses. Able to drive or willing to learn.

District Nurse-Midwife, S.R.N., S.C.M., Wallington Quay. Full board-residence provided in Nurses' Home.

District Nurse-Midwife, S.R.N., S.C.M., Rothbury. Furnished accommodation provided in comfortable Nurses' Home with other Nurse. Able to drive or willing to learn.

Salaries and conditions of service in accordance with the recommendations of the Nurses and Midwives Council of the Whitley Council.

Applications, giving full details of experience, should be addressed to County Medical Officer of Health Department, County Hall, Newcastle upon Tyne, 1. (2040)

MONMOUTHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
APPOINTMENT OF HEALTH VISITOR

The Monmouthshire County Council have a vacancy for a **Health Visitor** in the Pontypool Area. The candidate shall be single. Must hold:—

(1) The S.R.N. Certificate.
(2) The Health Visitor's Certificate.

Salary and conditions of service will be in accordance with the Whitley Council for the Health Services scales. Travelling allowances will be paid and the special uniform of the County Council provided.

The post is subject to the provision of the Local Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations, 1947.

COPY of the schedule of duties to be obtained, and the conditions of the appointment, may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, to whom applications, accompanied by copies of not more than three testimonials, are to be sent by 30th March, 1952.

VERNON LAWRENCE,
Clerk of the Council.

County Hall, Newport, Mon. (2078)

LUTON DIVISIONAL HEALTH COMMITTEE
APPOINTMENT OF HEALTH VISITORS AND SCHOOL NURSES

Applications are invited for the combined appointment of **Health Visitor and School Nurse.** Salary scales and conditions of service those of the Nurses and Midwives Sections of the Whitley Councils for Health Services and the successful candidates will be required to pass a medical examination.

Application forms may be obtained from, and must be returned to, the Divisional Medical Officer, Health Department, Luton, not later than 31st March, 1952.

W. H. ROBINSON,
Town Hall, Luton, Clerk to the Committee.
March, 1952. (2080)

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the position of **Tuberculosis Visitor** in the County adjacent to Leigh.

Candidates to be generally trained Nurses with obstetric experience; preference given to those with Health Visitor's Certificate.

Salary in accordance with the Whitley scale. Travelling expenses paid where applicable.

Superannuation.

Application forms, obtainable from the County Medical Officer, East Cliff County Offices, Preston, to be returned by 15th April. (2142)

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the appointment of a **Health Visitor/School Nurse** in the Chichester area. Applicants must be S.R.N., S.C.M., and hold the Health Visitor's Certificate. Salary in accordance with Whitley Council's scale

The appointment is subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and will be terminable by one month's notice on either side. The successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination.

Application forms may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Chichester, and should be returned not later than 29th March, 1952.

T. C. HAYWARD,
Clerk of the County Council. (1979)

HEREFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
GWYNNE JAMES HOME, HEREFORD
Part II Training School

District Nurse/Midwife required to assist Training Midwife. Applicant with district training preferred.

Forms of application and terms of appointment may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, 35 Bridge Street, Hereford. (2099)

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

District Nurses required in the following areas. General nursing only unless otherwise stated. Queen's Institute district training an advantage.

Broughton-in-Furness, North Lancs. One Nurse required for generalised work. Health Visitor's Certificate essential. Must be a car driver. Small furnished bungalow provided, or own living arrangements.

Golborne, Nr. Warrington. Own living arrangements.

Great Harwood, Nr. Blackburn. Separate living accommodation, but share bathroom and kitchen with one other Nurse. Cyclist.

Oswaldtwistle, Nr. Blackburn. To share furnished house with one other Nurse. Car driver preferred.

Littleborough, Nr. Rochdale. Two Nurses required for double district. Modern house provided, furnished or unfurnished. One Nurse must be a car driver.

Ashton-under-Lyne, Nr. Manchester. Own living arrangements or accommodation can be provided.

Whitley Council salary scales. Appointments superannuable and subject to medical examination.

Applications to County Medical Officer of Health, East Cliff County Offices, Preston. (2283)

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the appointment of **District Nurse/Midwife,** with Health Visitor's Certificate, for the Harting area. Unfurnished house available. Car provided.

Queen's or other district training desirable. Salary in accordance with the Whitley scale.

The appointment will be subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and the successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination. The appointment will be terminable by one month's notice on either side.

Application forms may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Chichester, and should be returned not later than 5th April, 1952.

T. C. HAYWARD,
Clerk of the County Council.

14th March, 1952. (2262)

SALOP COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for a post as **Home Nurse** in the Borough of Shrewsbury. Ability to ride a bicycle is essential.

Accommodation is available in a comfortable Nurses' Home.

Salary and conditions of service are in accordance with the recommendations of the Whitley Council for the Health Services (Great Britain).

Application forms may be obtained from the undersigned.

WILLIAM TAYLOR,
County Medical Officer of Health.

County Health Office, College Hill, Shrewsbury.
March, 1952. (2189)

SCHOOL NURSES *needed in L.C.C.*
BOARDING SCHOOLS

QUALIFICATIONS
S.R.N. or R.S.C.N
REMUNERATION.
£375 — £495
LESS CHARGE FOR RESIDENCE

DETAILS & LIST OF VACANCIES OBTAINABLE FROM

Medical Officer of Health, (PH/D16)
The County Hall
Westminster Bridge S.E.1.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF STOCKPORT
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the positions of **Domiciliary Municipal Midwives.** Candidates must be State Certified Midwives, and preference will be given to those who are also State Registered Nurses.

Salary and conditions in accordance with the scale and conditions laid down by the Whitley Council for the Health Services (Great Britain) Nurses and Midwives Council.

Laundry, telephone, equipment and bus fares will be provided, and unfurnished houses will be found for the successful applicants, for which a normal rent will be charged.

The appointment will be subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, and the successful applicants will be required to pass a medical examination.

Application forms may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Town Hall, Stockport, to whom such forms, accompanied by copies of three recent testimonials, should be returned as soon as possible. (2140)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF DEWSBURY
DOMICILIARY MIDWIFE

Applications are invited for the post of **Domiciliary Midwife.**

Applicants must be State Registered Nurses and State Certified Midwives.

The salary will be in accordance with the Whitley Councils recommendations and will be subject to one month's notice on either side. The appointment is superannuable and a medical examination will be necessary.

Suitable housing accommodation will be provided if necessary.

Forms of application may be obtained from the undersigned, to whom they should be returned, with copies of two recent testimonials, as soon as possible.

T. W. ROBSON,
Medical Officer of Health.

Public Health Department,
Municipal Buildings, Halifax Road,
Dewsbury. 7-3-52. (2165)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF WARRINGTON
HEALTH DEPARTMENT
STUDENT HEALTH VISITORS

The Council, acting as the Local Health Authority, invite applications from suitably qualified persons for appointment as **Student Health Visitors.**

Applicants must be State Registered Nurses who have taken certain midwifery training.

Successful applicants will be required to undergo a course of training lasting at least six months at a University or other approved institution, during which period the Council will pay allowances at the rate of £277 10s. per annum, together with certain fees and expenses in connection with the course.

On qualifying, the Student Health Visitor must be prepared to serve at least two years with this Authority as a Health Visitor.

The appointment will be subject to:—

(1) The conditions of service of the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council.

(2) The Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937.

(3) The passing of a medical examination.

(4) An agreement to be entered into between the Student Health Visitor and the Local Health Authority.

Forms of application, together with the terms of agreement to be entered into, may be obtained by sending a stamped addressed envelope to the undersigned.

ERIC H. MOORE,
Medical Officer of Health.

Health Department, Sankey Street,
Warrington. (2205)

CITY OF WORCESTER
APPOINTMENT OF
HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE

Applications are invited for the above appointment (two vacancies) from General trained Nurses holding the Certificate of the Central Midwives Board and the new Health Visitor's Certificate.

Appointment is subject to provisions of the Local Government Officers' Superannuation Act, 1937.

Forms of application obtainable from the Medical Officer of Health, Guildhall, Worcester, to whom they should be returned, with copies of not more than three testimonials, not later than 19th April.

BERTRAM WEDSTER,
Town Clerk.

March, 1952. (2231)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BOURNEMOUTH
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
SUPERINTENDENT OF HOME NURSING SERVICE

Applications are invited from persons suitably qualified and experienced for the above post. Salary: £465 x £20 to £545. Flat and garage available.

Full details and forms of application of be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, 17 St. Stephen's Road, Bournemouth, to whom they must be returned by 12th April, 1952.

A. LINDSAY CLEGG,
Town Clerk. (2234)

WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD, SCOTLAND

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL I.D. HOSPITAL, IRVINE
(Training School for Fever and T.A. Certificates)

Staff Nurses, R.G.N., R.F.N. or T.A. Certificates necessary
State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.
Assistant Sister Tutor, qualified, resident or non-resident, to commence mid-June or July, 1952.

DRUMLEY MATERNITY HOME, ANNBANK, AYRSHIRE

Staff Midwife, S.R.N. or R.G.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only.

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, GLASGOW, N.
(1,800 Beds)

Qualified Sister Tutor. Study day system of training in operation. There is a Preliminary Training School and a School for previously Registered Nurses.
Staff Nurses on the appropriate Registers, for General and Children's Wards.
Staff Nurses with children's training for Premature Baby Nursery.
Application forms may be obtained from Matron.

SOUTHERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, GLASGOW, S.W.1
(Training School — 1,200 Staffed Beds)

Sister Tutor (qualified). Additional post. There is a Preliminary Training School with a Study Day system in operation.
Staff Nurses (Female), resident or non-resident, for alternate day and night duty.

LENNOX CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, LENNOXTOWN, Near GLASGOW
(160 Beds)

Staff Midwives.
Pupil Midwives, S.R.N. or R.G.N., for Part I and Part II Training.

ROBERTSON STEWART I.D. HOSPITAL, ROTHESAY

Staff Nurse.

RICCARTSBAR MENTAL HOSPITAL, PAISLEY

Ward Sisters.
Deputy Ward Sisters.
Staff Nurses (Female).

BIRKWOOD CERTIFIED INSTITUTION, LESMAHAGOW, LANARKSHIRE
(Training School — 234 Beds)

Assistant Matron, qualified in General and Mental or Mental Deficiency Nursing.
Ward Sister, qualifications in Mental or Mental Deficiency nursing.

KIRKLANDS CERTIFIED INSTITUTION, BOTHWELL, LANARKSHIRE
(Training School — 220 Beds)

Assistant Matron, qualified in General and Mental Nursing.
Deputy Matron, qualified in General and Mental nursing.
Two Ward Sisters, qualified in Mental or Mental Deficiency nursing.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, GLASGOW, E.1

Experienced **Labour Ward Sister,** R.G.N. or S.R.N., S.C.M.

ROYAL INFIRMARY, DUMFRIES

Ward Sister for E.N.T. Unit, resident or non-resident. Previous experience in specialised work an advantage.
Sister, S.R.N., with Orthopaedic Certificate, for Orthopaedic Unit at Grove Auxiliary Hospital.
Staff Nurses for Wards and Departments, resident or non-resident. Good post-graduate experience.

FINNARTMORE AUXILIARY HOSPITAL, KILMUN, BY DUNOON, ARGYLL
(Medical — 28 Beds)

1 Staff Nurse.
1 Nursing Auxiliary.

BRIDGE OF WEIR SANATORIUM, BRIDGE OF WEIR, RENFREWSHIRE
(200 Beds)
Training School for T.A. Certificate

Night Sister, resident or part-time. S.R.N. with T.B. experience.
Applications to Matron 14 days from insertion of advertisement.

OVERTOUN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, DUMBARTON
(Training School — 25 Beds)

Senior Resident Sister.
Two Staff Nurses, resident or non-resident.

BANNOCKBURN I.D. HOSPITAL, BANNOCKBURN, STIRLINGSHIRE
(100 Beds—**Affiliated Training School**)

Staff Nurses (Female) with General or Fever State Registration.
Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

PARKHEAD I.D. HOSPITAL, DUMFRIES

Enrolled Assistant Nurse.

CASTLE DOUGLAS HOSPITAL, CASTLE DOUGLAS, KIRKCUDBRIGHTSHIRE

Ward Sister, S.R.N. or R.G.N.

THOMAS HOPE HOSPITAL, LANGHOLM, DUMFRIESSHIRE

Sister, S.R.N.

LANFINE HOME, KIRKINTILLOCH, DUNBARTONSHIRE

Staff Nurse, S.R.N. or S.R.F.N. or T.A. Certificate, resident or non-resident.

BIGGART HOSPITAL HOME, PRESTWICK, AYRSHIRE
(Convalescent Children — 120 Beds)

Ward Sister.

CRAIGARD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CAMPBELTOWN, ARGYLL
(12 Beds)

Staff Midwife.

CALTON HOSPITAL, CAMPBELTOWN, ARGYLL
(I.D.—21 Beds; T.B.—12 Beds)

Ward Sister.
Applications to the Secretary, Board of Management for Campbeltown District Hospitals, The Clinic, Ralston Road, Campbeltown, Argyll.

WITCHBURN HOSPITAL, CAMPBELTOWN, ARGYLL
(Chronic Sick — 18 Beds)

Ward Sister.
Applications to the Secretary, Board of Management for Campbeltown District Hospitals, The Clinic, Ralston Road, Campbeltown, Argyll.

DUMBARTON JOINT I.D. HOSPITAL, DUMBARTON
(Training School — 45 Beds)

Staff Nurse, resident.

WESTERN DISTRICT HOSPITAL, BAIRDSBRAE, GLASGOW, C.4

Theatre Sister.
Pupil Midwives for Part I and Part II training, resident or non-resident.

RAVENSCRAIG MENTAL HOSPITAL, GREENOCK
(Mental Beds—155; General—98; T.B.—24)

Matron. Applications to be sent to the Secretary, Board of Management Renfrewshire Mental Hospitals, Dykebar Hospital, Paisley.
Two Assistant Matrons. Applications to Matron.

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY ROYAL INFIRMARY, DUMFRIES

Assistant Matron, to be in charge of Grove Auxiliary Hospital, a Tra Annexe of the Infirmary, and which contains 36 orthopaedic and 28 general Candidates must be State Registered and have administrative experience. A fi keeping Certificate and experience of catring would be an advantage. Salary £470 x £15 to £560, with deduction of £140 for board and lodging.

Applications, with two names for reference, to the Secretary, Board Management for Dumfries and Galloway Hospitals, Royal Infirmary, Dum within 14 days of this advertisement.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service will apply to above appointments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, and names of referees, to be sent to the Matron of the respective Hospital, unless other stated above. (2258)

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

WORTHING HEALTH SUB-COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the appointment of a **General Nurse** for the Borough of Worthing. Queen's or similar district training desirable but not essential. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations.

The appointment will be subject to the provisions of the National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations and/or the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and the successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination. The appointment will be terminable by one month's notice on either side.

Forms of application can be obtained from the Medical Officer, Health Department, Worthing Lodge, Stoke Abbot Road, Worthing.

T. C. HAYWARD,
Clerk of the County Council.
(2259)

COUNTY COUNCIL OF RENFREW

Applications are invited from qualified Nurses for the post of **Mother Teacher.** Applicants must be State Registered Nurses and hold the Health Visitor's Certificate, and should also hold the Mothercraft Certificate, or have had experience in the teaching of Mothercraft.

Applicants must not be over 45 years of age unless they are in an superannuated local authority post, and will be required to pass a medical examination and contribute to the County Council's Superannuation Scheme. Salary is according to the Whitley scale for Health Visitors.

Forms of application can be obtained from the County Medical Officer, Back Sneddon Street, Paisley, to whom they should be returned not later 15th April, 1952.

ROBERT URQUHART,
County Clerk.

County Buildings, Paisley.
17th March, 1952. (2260)

CITY OF SHEFFIELD PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

APPOINTMENT OF STUDENT HEALTH VISITORS

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses under 35 years of age who desire to train as Health Visitors. Candidates must hold the S.C.M. Certificate (or Part I).

The posts are superannuable and the successful candidates, who will be required to pass a medical examination, will receive a salary at the rate of £340 per annum. During the period of training at an approved Training Centre, Health Visitors will receive a salary at the rate of £370 per annum. On obtaining the Health Visitor's Certificate, Students will be appointed Health Visitors on the salary scale recommended by the Nurses and Midwives Council, and will be required to serve the Local Health Authority for a period of two years after completion of training.

Applications, stating age, particulars of training, qualifications and experience, and the names and addresses of three persons to whom reference may be made, should be forwarded to Llywelyn Roberts, Medical Officer of Health, Town Hall Chambers, Sheffield, 1. (2212)

SOUTH OCKENDON GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

APPOINTMENT OF MATRON

Applications are invited for the position of **Matron** of Leytonstone (346 beds) and Bramley House (76 beds) as combined appointment. Both pitals are for female mental defectives, mostly high grade.

Salary to commence on non-training Hospital scale for 400/499 beds, but advancement to training Hospital status is anticipated. The Committee negotiating with the G.N.C. for recognition again of Leytonstone House Training School.

Candidates must be State Registered General and qualified Mental Nurses additional qualifications, especially teaching, will be an advantage.

Applications to the Secretary to the Committee, Leytonstone House, Road, London, E.11, not later than the 31st March, stating full names and date of birth, qualifications, present salary and appointment, previous service in detail, experience, etc., together with names and addresses of not than two referees. (2261)

TY BOROUGH OF EAST HAM
TUBERCULOSIS VISITOR
ations are invited for the above post ate Registered Nurses with at least ths' special experience at a Sana- or Hospital for the treatment of sis, or at a Tuberculosis Dispensary. n accordance with the recommenda- the Nurses and Midwives Whitley

ants are advised that the work considerable opportunity for further the modern methods of the diag- tuberculosis and other diseases of st, the technique of radiography, pneumothorax and pneumoperi- and includes the social aspects, the ation, and the care and after-care homes of all types of cases of tuber-

r particulars of the duties, terms, itions of appointment, and form of n (which must be returned by the il, 1952), may be obtained from the ned.

R. H. BUCKLEY,
Deputy Town Clerk.
all, East Ham, E.6.
1952. (2258)

STERSHIRE COUNTY NURSING ASSOCIATION
d (Buckminster). **District Nurse-** Rural, double district. Separate rangements, midwifery and general. hed cottage available. Car provided. Council salary, F.S.S. or L.G.O.S. County Superintendent, 21 Stoney- d, Leicester. (2288)

DORSET COUNTY COUNCIL
iary **Midwife** required in the of Poole. Candidates must be State d Nurses and State Certified Mid- Permanent pensionable post, subject al examination. Salary in accord- th Whitley Council scale. Uniform l and travelling allowance paid. cations, giving age, qualifications, e, and names of three referees, to rk of the County Council, County rchester, by 29th March, 1952. (2159)

NCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
h **Visitor/School Nurses** (combined required in areas adjacent to Black- rnley, Chorley, Manchester, Oldham, Salford, etc. Minimum qualifications: S.C.M. (Part I) and H.V. Cert. y Council scale and conditions. Posts nable. ation forms from County Medical East Cliff County Offices, Preston. (2143)

EN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING
QUARTERS STAFF—ASSISTANT PERINTENDENT (NURSING)
ations are invited from experienced Nurses for the above post—vacant e. Applicants must hold the C.M.B. lth Visitor's Certificates, and have e administrative experience. An ap- r and interest in the keeping of r statistical purposes essential. The n-resident and subject to the Feder- erannuation Scheme for Nurses. ations to the General Secretary, 57 Lower Belgrave Street, London, om whom particulars may be ob- (2293)

DDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL
COUNTY HEALTH DEPT.
h **Visitors and School Nurses** (com- osts) rqd. in Area 9 (Heston and , Southall, Brentford and Chiswick) Gen. S.R.N. with H.V. Cert. g. to N.M.C. (L.A.) Circ. 7, with e. Provision for uniform. Estab., medical assessment and prescribed s. Alternate Sats. free. ation forms from Area Medical 2 Bath Road, Hounslow, Middx. to ed by 12th April (quoting K.593 Canvassing disqualifies. (2270)

INDUSTRIAL NURSES
- per inch, minimum charge 10/-

TISH ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY
ations are invited from State Regis- rses with industrial experience for of **Sister** on the staff of the Chief Officer at London Headquarters. include development of health ser- Headquarters staff, and occupational within the London district. subject to negotiation but not less 0 p.a. Superannuable post. ations in writing, by 29th March, ing full particulars of qualifications referees, to D. Moffat, Director of ments, British Electricity House, ortland Street, London, W.1, quote AE/235. (2257)

ations are invited for the post of **Registered Nurse** in the Medical De- of the Briggs Motor Bodies Ltd., s, Southampton. Applicants should the Medical Officer at the Swayth- ary, giving age, details of education, al training and qualifications. (2223)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL
DISTRICT NURSING AND MIDWIFERY SERVICE

Applications are invited for the following vacancies:—

Redhill. One District Nurse and One District Nurse-Midwife required, preferably with district training. Cyclist, motorist an advantage.

Camberley. State Registered Nurse required for part-time duties in the Home Nursing Service.

Surbiton. Two Queen's District Trained Nurses required for general nursing only. Cyclists, motorists an advantage. Comfortable Home, tennis court, etc. Non-resident if required.

Relief Nurses or Relief Nurse/Midwives required. Applicants should be S.R.N. or S.R.N., S.C.M., and preferably Q.N. After a period of service on the Emergency Staff, Nurses are offered permanent posts as they become vacant. Nurses should be cyclists and motorists. Good experience. Board and lodging provided, £130 deduction.

Queen's District Training is offered to State Registered Nurses only, or to State Registered Nurses and State Certified Midwives. Duration of training, six months. If Midwifery Training is desired, this can also be arranged. Brochure and further particulars available upon application.

Salary and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations. Appointment subject to medical examination and X-ray.

Applications to the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Kingston-on-Thames, Surrey. (2300)

EAST SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following appointments from suitably qualified persons:—

(1) **Health Visitor**, Samford Rural District. Attractive part of rural Suffolk between Ipswich and the Essex border. Furnished accommodation in Ipswich available.

(2) **Two District Nurse-Midwives,** Otley and Charsfield districts. Rural area in central Suffolk, about eight miles north-east of Ipswich. An unfurnished modern bungalow in Otley is large enough to be shared by two friends, who could cover these adjacent districts.

(3) **District Nurse-Midwife,** Bungay district. An unfurnished house is available in the centre of this quiet north Suffolk market town.

Salary and conditions of service according to N.M.C.

Forms of application from County Medical Officer, County Hall, Ipswich.
11th March, 1952. (2158)

COUNTY OF CORNWALL
STAFF VACANCIES

Applications are invited for the following staff vacancies:—

District Nurse-Midwives required in the following places. Applicants must be State Registered Nurses, district training an advantage.

St. Austell. (Two to live in Nurses' Home). **Falmouth.** (One to live in Nurses' Home). **Penzance.** (One to live in Nurses' Home). **Truro.** (Two to live in Nurses' Home).

Bude. (Would suit two friends). **St. Cleer.** (One—rooms provided). **St. Dennis.** (Furnished accommodation). **St. Mabyn.** (One to share furnished house, or two friends).

(Health Visitor's Certificate desirable for the last four vacancies).

Health Visitor required in Redruth.

The salaries and service conditions of all the foregoing posts are in accordance with Whitley Council decisions. Applicants must hold a current driving licence. Cars are provided for District Nurses where needed.

The Cornwall County Council is a member of the Queen's Institute of District Nursing.

MIDWIFERY AND QUEEN'S DISTRICT TRAINING

Part I and II or Part II only Midwifery Training offered to State Registered Nurses. Queen's district training offered to State Registered Nurses who are also State Certified Midwives.

Further information and forms of application for appointments and training may be obtained from the County Nursing Officer, The Crescent, Truro.

E. T. VERGER,
Clerk of the County Council.
County Hall, Truro.
13-3-52. (2265)

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the post of **Health Visitor** in the following districts:—

Corby. Unfurnished house available
Wellingborough. Accommodation available in Nurses' Home.
Kettering. Furnished flats in Nurses' Home.
Desborough. Irthlingborough and Raunds. Northampton Rural. No house provided, but every assistance will be given in finding suitable accommodation.

Salaries and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations.

Application forms may be obtained from:—

C. M. SMITH,
County Medical Officer of Health.
County Offices, Guildhall Road, Northampton. (2244)

LOUGHBOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL
(120 Beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **Matron,** vacant on 1st June, 1952, when the present Matron retires.

The Hospital is a Training School for Female Nurses.

Forms of application and further information may be obtained from the Secretary, No. 1 Hospital Management Committee, 38a East Bond Street, Leicester. (2098)

GLOUCESTER DISTRICT NURSING SOCIETY
(Part II Midwifery Training School)

Assistant Superintendent, Midwifery only (experienced Queen's Sister), wanted for April 1st.

Charge of Midwifery Districts and Pupil Midwives. Comfortable accommodation. Non-resident considered.

Apply Superintendent, 14-18 Clarence Street, Gloucester. (1883)

Required, 2 **State Registered Nurses** with Industrial Nursing Certificate or industrial experience for alternating shift work, factory welfare and works surgery in Maidenhead. No night duty. Canteen, 5-day week. Salary, revised Royal College of Nursing scale. Apply in first instance to Vandervell Products, Western Avenue, Acton, W.3. (Subject to Notification of Vacancies Order, 1952). (2215)

British Electricity Authority, London Division, require **Industrial Nurse,** State Registered with the Industrial Certificate or industrial experience. Headquarters at Brunswick Wharf Generating Station, Naval Row, E.1, visiting smaller stations in area. Salary within range £415—£515 p.a., plus £15 p.a. uniform allowance. Apply in writing to Divisional Secretary, Ergon House, Horseferry Road, S.W.1. (2237)

HOSPITAL AND OTHER VACANCIES
16/- per inch, minimum charge 10/-

HORTON ROAD HOSPITAL GLOUCESTER

Applications are invited for the post of **Matron** at the above Mental Hospital of 452 female beds. (Recognised Training School). Candidates must be S.R.N. and R.M.N. and previous administrative experience is essential.

Whitley Council salary and conditions of service.

The appointment will be superannuable and subject to the successful candidate passing a medical examination.

Application forms obtainable from the Medical Superintendent. (1962)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Matrons (in sole charge) rqd. for new Homes shortly to be opened for aged persons in (a) Southgate (33 residents); (b) Kenton (34); (c) Whyteleafe, Surrey (29).

Salary (a) and (b): £307 x £15—£352 p.a.; (c) £292 x £15—£337 p.a., all plus residential emoluments, valued at £193 p.a. Should be interested in welfare of old people, with knowledge of nursing and first aid an advantage. Established, pensionable, subject to medical assessment and prescribed conditions.

Apply to Chief Welfare Officer, 1 Queen Anne's Gate Buildings, Dartmouth Street, Westminster, S.W.1, by 31st March, stating "Home," age, quals., details of present post and previous exper., 3 referees (quoting K.579 N.T.). Canvassing disqualifies. (2070)

LANCASTER MOOR HOSPITAL LANCASTER
(Regional Mental Hospital—3,000 Beds)
MATRON

Applications are invited for the post of **Matron** from State Registered Nurses qualified in mental and general nursing and possessing wide experience in Mental Hospital administration. The Hospital is a recognised Training School and the number of female beds is approximately 1950. Salary, etc. (Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council): £930 x £30 to £1,110 p.a., less £225 for board, etc., and the appointment is subject to N.H.S. (Superannuation) Regulations, 1950.

Applications, stating age, qualifications, experience, etc., together with the names of two referees, to be sent to the Medical Superintendent (2073)

WOLVERHAMPTON HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
Group No. 16 Birmingham Region
NEW CROSS HOSPITAL WOLVERHAMPTON
Complete Training School for Nurses
(Sick Beds—636; Non-Sick Beds—586)

Applications are invited for the post of **Matron** (sick beds only), which will become vacant on the 10th May, 1952.

Applicants should be suitably qualified, with S.R.N., S.C.M., Housekeeping Certificate, and have had previous administrative experience in a large Hospital.

Salary within the scale £790, rising by £30 per annum to £970 (600—699 beds), less £175 for residential emoluments.

Applications, stating age and full particulars of experience and qualifications, together with the names of three referees, should be addressed to the Secretary, Wolverhampton Hospital Management Committee, The Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton.
11th March, 1952 (2133)

DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
LONG EATON DAY NURSERY

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses and Certificated Nursery Nurses for the post of **Matron.** The salary will be in accordance with Ministry of Health's recommended scales. The successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination.

Application forms, setting out the conditions of service, may be obtained from the undersigned, to whom they should be returned before 31st March, 1952.

J. B. S. MORGAN,
County Offices, County Medical Officer.
St. Mary's Gate, Derby. (2116)

CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

Trained Nurses (S.R.N., R.S.C.N., or Nursery College trained) required as **Matrons** and **Assistant Matrons** in Residential Nurseries in various parts of the country. Membership Church of England required. Rushcliffe scale plus uniform and holiday allowances. Write, quoting N/T, to Secretary, C. of E. Children's Society, Old Town Hall, Kennington Road, London, S.E.11. (x10)

EDINBURGH CORPORATION EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Matron required for Middleton House Convalescent Home, near Gorebridge. This is a residential home for children, and candidates should hold an Institutional Management Diploma of a recognised College of Domestic Science. Nursing experience is essential.

Salary scale: £170 p.a. to £260 p.a., plus emoluments valued at £120 p.a. Placing according to experience.

Applications should be lodged with the Director of Education, 12 St. Giles Street, Edinburgh, within 10 days of this advertisement.

J. STORRAR,
Town Clerk.
(2114)

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM HEALTH DEPARTMENT
MATRON
HARBOROUGH HALL CONVALESCENT HOME, BLAKEDOWN
Nr. KIDDERMINSTER

Home accommodates 21 mothers with their babies. Salary: £520 x £20—£600, according to qualifications and experience, less emoluments £175. Pension scheme, medical examination.

Applications, giving qualifications and experience, naming three referees, to Medical Officer of Health, Council House, Birmingham, 3, by 7th April, 1952. (2041)

KENYA, EAST AFRICA

Nakuru War Memorial Hospital requires a new **Matron** as from September, 1952. Hospital of 67 beds, including surgical, medical, children, and separate Maternity Block. Complete Theatre Suite, Radiology, Physiotherapy Departments. European nursing and housekeeping staff. African domestic staff. Separate quarters. Salary according to experience.

Apply with fullest particulars and photograph to the Superintendent, War Memorial Hospital, Box 240, Nakuru, Kenya, from whom all further information can be obtained. (2160)

WINDSOR HOSPITAL, FALKIRK STIRLINGSHIRE
(Female Certified Defective Patients—82 Beds; Chronic Sick—82 Beds; Part III Patients—79 Beds)
MATRON

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the post of **Matron** at the above Hospital, which will become vacant on 1st November, 1952, due to retiral. Salary of £575, rising tby annual increments to £715 per annum, in accordance with Whitley Council salary scale, with placing according to qualifications and experience, less usual deduction of £175 per annum for board, lodging and laundry.

Applications, giving age, fully detailed particulars of qualifications and experience, together with names and addresses of three referees, should be submitted not later than 15th April, 1952, to the Secretary, Board of Management for Falkirk and District Hospitals, 14 Princes Street, Falkirk. (2185)

"ORCHARD DENE," RAINHILL
(A Short-stay Holiday Home for Mental Defective Children opening shortly)

Matron required. Applicants should be S.R.N. with experience in the care of mental defectives and a real love of these children. Salary according to recognised scales and experience.

Deputy Matron and Assistant Nurses also required.

All applications must be received by 28th March, 1952.

Apply to the Secretary, Residential Services Department, National Association for Mental Health, 39 Queen Anne Street, London, W.1. (2209)

WESTAWAY CRECHE, JERSEY

Immediate vacancy for post of **Matron** at this residential nursery for children 0 to 6 years. Applicants must be S.R.N. and should hold Nursery Nursing Diploma and/or Health Visitor's Certificate. Nursery experience essential. Salary equivalent Whitley scale.

Full particulars from the Director of Education, 5 Library Place, Jersey, C.I. (2213)

WINCHESTER GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
COWDERY DOWN HOSPITAL
BASINGSTOKE
(224 Chronic Sick Beds)

A vacancy occurs for post of **Assistant Matron** at above Hospital. Salary as Whitley Council scale: £460 x £15—£550 per annum.

Applications, giving particulars of age, training, qualifications and experience, and names of two referees, should be sent to Matron immediately. (2311)

MATRON
LIBERTON HOSPITAL
(60 Beds)
LASSWADE ROAD, EDINBURGH

Applications are invited for above post. Hospital has 50 chronic sick beds, and at present 10 convalescent beds. The Hospital is included in the Group Training Scheme for Student Nurses, along with Bruntsfield, Deaconess and Longmore Hospitals. The post will become vacant at 30th June, 1952.

The Hospital is situated in very pleasant surroundings on the outskirts of Edinburgh.

Salary scale: £575 x £25 to £700 x £10 to £710, less emoluments valued at £175 per annum.

Applications, in writing, stating age, qualifications, and details of nursing and administrative experience, also names of referees, to be submitted to the Secretary, Edinburgh Southern Group of Hospitals, 21 Hill Street, Edinburgh, 2, not later than 2nd April, 1952.
(2029)

HILL TOP HOSPITAL, BROMSGROVE
REGIONAL CENTRE FOR THORACIC SURGERY

Applications are invited from candidates with experience in Thoracic Surgical Nursing for the post of **Matron** at the above Hospital. This Hospital has 76 beds in four blocks for male and female patients and for children, and has recently been modernised and equipped for this specialty. It is intended to establish at this Hospital a centre for the post-graduate instruction of Nurses in Thoracic Surgical Nursing, and experience in organising such courses will be an advantage. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations: £540 x £20 (4) x £5 (1) to £625, less a deduction of £175 for board-residence.

Applications, giving the names of three referees, should be sent to the Secretary, Mid-Worcestershire Hospital Management Committee, Birmingham Road, Bromsgrove, Worcs., not later than 31st March, 1952. (2018)

ASHTON, HYDE AND GLOSSOP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
ASPLAND MATERNITY HOME, HYDE, CHESHIRE
(11 Beds)
MATRON

Applications are invited for the above post. Candidates should be S.R.N., S.C.M., with good Midwifery experience and administrative ability. Mostly normal Midwifery, 350 cases annually. The Home is situated on the outskirts of Hyde, six miles from Manchester Whitley Council salary and conditions of service.

Applications, giving the names and addresses of three referees, to be submitted to the undersigned.

R. W. McVITY,
Secretary.

Central Offices, Astley Road, Stalybridge, Cheshire. (2104)

WESTBURY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
WESTBURY, WILTS
(20 Beds)

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Matron** at the above small modern Hospital, dealing with medical, surgical and gynaecological cases.

Salary will be in accordance with the N.M.C. scale: £520, rising by annual increments of £20 to £600 per annum. The person appointed will pay £175 per annum for board-residence. The appointment is subject to the National Health (Superannuation) Regulations, 1950.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials and the names of two referees, should be addressed to and reach the undersigned by not later than the 31st March, 1952.

J. E. MORGAN,
Secretary,
West Wilts Hospitals Management Committee.

Isolation Hospital, Bradley Road, Trowbridge, Wilts.
7th March, 1952. (2059)

LINDSEY COUNTY COUNCIL
(In membership with the Queen's Institute of District Nursing)
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Resident Assistant Superintendent required for District Nurses' Home at Scunthorpe, with less than 30 Nurses and Midwives. Duties include work in the district and responsibility for the administration of the Home in the absence of the Superintendent.

Salary in accordance with the scale recommended by the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council and adopted by the County Council. Commencing salary will be determined having regard to the qualifications and experience of the person appointed.

Forms of application may be obtained from the undersigned.

W. S. H. CAMPBELL,
County Medical Officer of Health.

County Offices, Lincoln. (2233)

LEATHERHEAD HOSPITAL, POPLAR ROAD
LEATHERHEAD,, SURREY
(55 Beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** to this busy General Hospital—vacant 14th June, 1952. Salary scale: £460 x £15 to £550 p.a. Charge for services: £140 p.a.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, giving three referees, to be sent by 5th April, 1952, to Secretary, Epsom Group Hospital Management Committee, Dorking Road, Epsom, Surrey. (1945)

WEST MIDDLESEX HOS[...]
(South West Middlesex H[...]
Management Committ[...]

Applications invited for app[...] **Non-Resident Assistant Matron** [...] Female Observation Unit. App[...] hold qualifications S.R.N. and R[...]

Whitley conditions of servic[...] within scale £395 to £500 per [...] allowance £30 per annum.

The person appointed required [...] duty as soon as possible

Applications, stating age, [...] with details of previous experience [...] fications, and copies of up to [...] testimonials, or names of referees [...] tary of Committee, West Midd[...] pital, Isleworth, Middlesex, [...] March, 1952.

THE ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL
Liverpool Road Branch
ISLINGTON, LONDON, N[...]

Applications are invited for the [...] **Sister in Charge** of the Children's [...] ladies between the ages of 25 and [...] S.R.C.N., S.R.N., S.C.M.

Conditions of service and salary [...] ance with the Whitley scale.

Apply with full particulars of age [...] and subsequent experience, with [...] gether with names of two referees [...] Matron, The Royal Free Hospital [...] Inn Road, London, W.C.1, immedi[...]

GATESHEAD AND DISTRICT H[...]
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
WHINNEY HOUSE HOSPITAL
DURHAM ROAD, LOW FE[...]
GATESHEAD, 9

Applications are invited for the [...] ment of **Assistant Matron** at the [...] pital. Salary and conditions of [...] accordance with National scales.

This is a Tuberculosis Hospital [...] complement of 52 beds.

Applications should be addressed [...] undersigned.

H. CLA[...]
Group [...]

"The Lodge,"
I.D. Hospital, Sheriff Hill, Gatesh[...]
Co. Durham.

ASSISTANT MATRON

Applications are invited for the [...] position at HERNE HOSPITAL, He[...] mon, near Herne Bay. There are [...] devoted to female chronic sick and [...] patients, including some mental [...]

The salary is £460 a year, [...] annual increments of £15 to £550. [...] tion of £140 a year will be made [...] of board-residence.

Applications, together with Matron [...] for reference, to be sent to the [...] Canterbury Group Hospital Manage[...] mittee, Central Office, Nunnery F[...] pital, Canterbury.

HARROGATE AND RIPON HO[...]
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
DURHAM COUNTY CONVALE[...]
HOSPITAL, HARROGATE
(22 Beds)

Sister-in-Charge (resident) requi[...] under the supervision of Matron o[...] of four Hospitals situated in a ple[...] tion within easy reach of town c[...]

Salary and conditions of servic[...] ance with Whitley Council recom[...] Uniform provided.

Applications to be forwarded [...] c/o Hereford Lodge, Cornwall Ro[...] gate.

LINCOLNSHIRE (PARTS OF HO[...]
COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the [...] **Deputy Matron** (S.R.N., R.S.C.N., [...] or Certificated Nursery Nurse) at t[...] cil's Day Nursery at Boston. Acco[...] at the Nursery is available.

Salary in accordance with the [...] scale. The post is superannuable [...] successful applicant will be requir[...] a medical examination.

Forms of application can be obta[...] and should be returned to, the Co[...] cal Officer, County Hall, Boston, [...]

IPSWICH GROUP HOSPITAL
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
IPSWICH SANATORIUM
FOXHALL ROAD, IPSWICH
(120 Beds)

Applications are invited for the [...] **Assistant Matron.**

Candidates must be State [...] and hold the Certificate of the Brit[...] culosis Association.

A Housekeeping Certificate wou[...] advantage, and experience in cate[...] Whitley Council salary scale.

The Sanatorium has 96 beds [...] it is hoped to open up 120 beds [...] future.

All modern treatments of tube[...] carried out with minor surgery, [...] are plans for major surgery to be [...] when the staff is available.

Applications, with two names [...] should be forwarded to Matron [...]

JOHN WILLIA[...]

EDINBURGH AND SOUTH-EAST REGION OF SCOTLAND

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

TRAINED STAFF: **For Surgical Tuberculosis Wards of The City Hospital, Edinburgh,** are urgently required to open this new department. Previous experience essential.

DEPUTY MATRON (R.G.N. or S.C.M. and R.M.D.N. or R.M.N.): **Strathore Hospital for Mental Defectives, Thornton, Fife.** 90 beds. Children's Hospital. Apply to the Secretary, Stratheden Hospital, Cupar, Fife.

SISTER or SOLE TUTOR: **Stratheden Mental Hospital, Cupar, Fife.** Position: Sole charge. Applicant requires to be qualified for this progressive Mental Nurse Training School. Modern Psychiatric Unit. Classrooms well equipped. Married or residential quarters available.

Bangour General Hospital, Broxburn, West Lothian. 616 beds. General Training School. P.T.S., 12 weeks. Block system of lectures, good classrooms. Recognised Tutor qualifications preferred. Successful applicant will work under the guidance of the Principal Tutor.

General Hospital, Kirkcaldy, Fife. General Training School. Position: Sister Tutor in Sole Charge for Post-Preliminary Training School Students. Resident or non-resident.

East Fortune Hospital, Drem, East Lothian. 235 beds. Position: Sole charge. Modern Hospital. Students prepared for G.N.C. Preliminary State Examinations and for the B.T.A. Certificate. Preference given to qualified Tutor but consideration will also be given to Sister desiring experience in teaching. Applications to be submitted not later than two weeks after the appearance of this advertisement.

ASSISTANT MATRON: **Gogarburn Hospital, Corstorphine, Edinburgh.** 560 beds. Training School for Student Nurses studying for the Mental Defectives, Nurses' part of the G.N.C. Register.

HOME SISTER (R.G.N., R.S.C.N.): **Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Sciennes Road, Edinburgh.** 206 beds. Training School for Nurses.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT: **Peel Hospital, Clovenfords, Selkirkshire.** 220 beds.

NIGHT SISTERS: **Princess Margaret Rose Hospital, Fairmilehead, Edinburgh.** 170 beds. Orthopaedic nursing. Successful applicant will assist Night Superintendent. Affiliated General Training School.

Peel Hospital, Clovenfords, Selkirkshire. 200 beds. General Training School. Successful applicant will assist Night Superintendent.

SISTERS: **Bangour Hospital** (see above). Vacancy in Neuro-Surgical Department, also vacancy in Tuberculosis Unit.

Edington Cottage Hospital, North Berwick. Small Hospital of 9 general beds.

Liberton Hospital, Lasswade Road, Edinburgh. 60 beds. Ward Sister required. Holiday relief duties from May to September, 1952.

Tippethill Infectious Diseases Hospital, Armadale Station. 58 beds. R.G.N. and R.F.N. qualifications necessary.

Selkirk Cottage Hospital, Selkirk. 18 beds. Theatre experience desirable. Pupil Assistant Nurses in training.

Drumlanrig Hospital, Hawick. 40 beds. Chronic Sick Nursing. Pupil Assistant Nurses in training.

STAFF MIDWIVES: **Peebles War Memorial Hospital.** 13 Midwifery beds. Two vacancies.

Craigtoun Maternity Hospital, St. Andrew's, Fife. Part I and Part II Training School. Four vacancies.

Simpson Memorial Maternity Pavilion, Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh. 169 beds.

STAFF NURSES: **Bangour Hospital** (see above). For General Wards.

Anderson Sanatorium, Hawick. 28 beds. B.T.A. Certificate preferred.

Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Edinburgh. Sick children's nursing experience essential.

SOLE STAFF NURSES: **Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh.** Required for Venereal Diseases Ward. Apply in first instance to Wardmaster, Ward 45.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES: **Bangour General Hospital** (see above). Vacancies in Neuro-Surgical, Plastic and Chest Units.

County Hospital, Peebles. 20 beds. Two vacancies. Component Training School for Pupil Assistant Nurses.

Anderson Sanatorium, Hawick. 28 beds.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES: **City Hospital, Greenbank Drive, Edinburgh.**

Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh. Required for Venereal Diseases Ward. Apply in first instance to Wardmaster, Ward 45.

PUPIL MIDWIVES: **Bangour Hospital, Broxburn, West Lothian** (see above). Early vacancies for Part II Training.

Craigtoun Maternity Hospital (see above). Early vacancies for Part I and Part II Training.

STUDENT NURSES: **East Fortune Hospital, Drem, East Lothian.** Busy modern Hospital, treating all forms of tuberculosis. Affiliated Training School for general training plus training for the B.T.A. Certificate. Three miles from North Berwick.

Bangour Hospital (see above). Two years' training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES FOR R.N. or S.R.N.: **Bangour General Hospital** (see above). Six months' course in Neuro-Surgical Nursing. Six months' course in Plastic and Maxillo-Facial Surgery. Both courses are planned to provide a full range of experience: theoretical and practical instruction is supervised by eminent surgeons and skilled nursing staff.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service will apply to the above appointments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, and names of two referees, to be submitted direct to the Matron of respective Hospitals for above posts.

Particulars of Nurse Training Schools and other vacancies may be obtained from the Regional Nursing Officer, South-Eastern Regional Hospital Board, 11 Chambers Gardens, Edinburgh, 3. (41)

EAST ANGLIAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, training, qualifications and experience, and accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials (or the names of two referees) to THE MATRON OF THE HOSPITAL CONCERNED (except where otherwise stated). Salaries and conditions of service in accordance with the appropriate scales.

NORFOLK AREA

SISTERS

NORFOLK AND NORWICH HOSPITAL, Norwich (General — 440 beds). Sister for **E.N.T. Dept.** (28 beds).

NORTH WALSHAM COTTAGE HOSPITAL, North Walsham (General—20 beds). **Ward Sister,** resident. S.R.N., S.C.M. Busy General Practitioner Hospital, carrying on maternity work.

STAFF NURSES

KELLING SANATORIUM, Holt (T.B.—180 beds). Female, S.R.N., for night duty, also Staff Nurses, S.R.N. Hospital includes Thoracic Surgery Unit.

WEST NORFOLK AND KING'S LYNN GENERAL HOSPITAL, London Road, King's Lynn (Acute—140 beds). Staff Nurses for General Wards—one each for Medical, Surgical, Casualty and Night duty with Theatre experience (6 months).

EAST SUFFOLK AREA

NIGHT SISTERS

IPSWICH SANATORIUM, Foxhall Road, Ipswich (120 beds). **S.R.N., T.A.,** for Male and Female Blocks.

STOW LODGE HOSPITAL, Onehouse, Stowmarket (Chronic Sick). For Chronic Ward.

SISTERS

IPSWICH SANATORIUM. Foxhall Road, Ipswich (120 beds). **Theatre Sister.** Thoracic Surgery and take charge of small Surgical Unit. Also **Ward Sister,** S.R.N. with T.A. preferred. Resident.

STOW LODGE HOSPITAL, Onehouse, Stowmarket (Chronic Sick). **Ward Sisters.**

BRITISH LEGION SANATORIUM, Nayland, Colchester, Essex (160 beds). **Relief Sister,** resident. S.R.N., T.A. preferred but not essential. Opportunity given to obtain B.T.A. Certificate if desired.

STAFF NURSES

IPSWICH SANATORIUM, Foxhall Road, Ipswich (120 beds). S.R.N. for Surgical Wards. S.R.N. or T.A. only for other wards.

BOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL, Heath Road, Ipswich (General—350 beds). **For Male and Female Wards.**

STOW LODGE HOSPITAL, Onehouse, Stowmarket (Chronic Sick).

BRITISH LEGION SANATORIUM, Nayland, Colchester, Essex (160 beds). S.R.N., T.A. preferred but not essential. Opportunity given to obtain B.T.A. Certificate if desired. Resident or non-resident.

EAST SUFFOLK AND IPSWICH HOSPITAL, Anglesea Road, Ipswich (General —350 beds). **For Holiday duties.** General and Private Wards.

ST. HELEN'S HOSPITAL, Foxhall Road, Ipswich (Isolation and T.B.—156 beds). S.R.N. or R.F.N.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

STOW LODGE HOSPITAL, Onehouse, Stowmarket (Chronic Sick). Male and Female.

ST. HELEN'S HOSPITAL, Foxhall Road, Ipswich (Isolation and T.B.—156 beds). With fever experience, for Cubicle Block.

WEST SUFFOLK AREA

SISTER TUTOR

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (450 beds). **In Sole Charge.** To commence April.

SISTERS

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (450 beds). **For Female Medical Ward of 24 beds.**

STAFF NURSES

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (289 beds). With Ophthalmic experience for a busy Ophthalmic Department.

ISLE OF ELY AREA

STAFF MIDWIVES

WISBECH MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Wisbech (24 beds). Good experience in normal and abnormal midwifery.

GRANGE MATERNITY HOME, Lynn Road, Ely (20 beds).

CAMBRIDGESHIRE AREA

NIGHT SISTERS

ROYSTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Royston, Herts (General—31 beds).

STAFF NURSES

ROYSTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Royston, Herts (General—31 beds).

HUNTINGDONSHIRE AREA

SISTERS

COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (General—70 beds). Sister for six months' holiday relief, commencing April.

STAFF NURSES

COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (General—70 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, Primrose Lane, Huntingdon (30 beds).

(84)

SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

SOUTH YORKSHIRE

SISTER TUTORS

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (155 beds). Sister Tutor's Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (123 beds). S.R.N. and preferably Sister Tutor's Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

LODGE MOOR HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 10 (I.D.—508 beds). Sister Tutor's Certificate preferred. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (155 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

HOUSEKEEPING SISTERS

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (123 beds). S.R.N. and preferably Housekeeping Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTER

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (155 beds). **Junior Night Sister,** S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

BAKEWELL AND DISTRICT WAR MEMORIAL COTTAGE HOSPITAL, BAKEWELL. **Sister** qualified for Theatre work and able to relieve Matron when required.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (368 beds; 38 cots). **Theatre Sister.** Previous Theatre experience preferable. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (123 beds). **Theatre Sister,** S.R.N. Resident.

FIR VALE INFIRMARY, SHEFFIELD, 5 (1,539 beds). **Ward Sister** for Chronic Sick Wards. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

FULLERTON HOSPITAL, DENABY MAIN, Nr. DONCASTER (General—42 beds). Resident or non-resident.

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (155 beds). S.R.N., Female. Resident or non-resident.

ROSEHILL HOSPITAL, RAWMARSH (20 beds). Staff Nurses, S.R.N., one for Day and one for Night duty. Resident or non-resident.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (368 beds; 38 cots). **Theatre Staff Nurse,** Female, S.R.N. Previous experience in Theatre desirable. Also S.R.N., Female (resident or non-resident), or Male (non-resident) for duty in Male Chronic Sick Ward.

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (123 beds). Female Staff Nurses, S.R.N., for Medical and Surgical Wards; one for Night duty and one for Theatre. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

FULLERTON HOSPITAL, DENABY MAIN, Nr. DONCASTER (General—42 beds). Resident or non-resident.

RADSLEY MOOR LANE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (Geriatric Unit—70 beds). Resident or non-resident.

CRIMICAR LANE SANATORIUM, CRIMICAR LANE, SHEFFIELD, 10 (53 beds). Female. **For Night duty.** Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

HAMILTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, CARR HOUSE ROAD, DONCASTER (14 beds). Non-resident.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (368 beds; 38 cots). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

DERBYSHIRE

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

MANOR HOSPITAL, DERBY (Chronic Sick and Part III—696 beds). Includes Home Sister's duties. Ward Sister's salary plus £30. Resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

DERBYSHIRE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, FRIAR GATE, DERBY (60 beds; 18 cots). S.R.N., S.C.M. Good midwifery experience and theatre experience essential. Resident.

MANOR HOSPITAL, DERBY (Chronic Sick and Part III — 696 beds). Resident or non-resident.

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (General and Maternity—250 beds). One of three. Resident or non-resident.

SCARSDALE HOSPITAL, CHESTERFIELD (Medical, Chronic Sick, Mental and Gynaecological—619 beds, with Part II Midwifery Training School of 72 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Eight nights on duty and four nights off duty. Resident or non-resident.

THE GROVE, SHARDLOW, Nr. DERBY (Chronic Sick—102 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

DERBYSHIRE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, NORTH STREET, DERBY (84 beds). R.S.C.N., S.R.N., for Medical Ward of 27 beds; also R.S.C.N., S.R.N. or R.S.C.N., with two years' experience as Staff Nurse, for **Holiday Relief.** Resident or non-resident.

MANOR HOSPITAL, DERBY (Chronic Sick and Part III — 696 beds). **Ward Sisters,** resident or non-resident.

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (General and Maternity—250 beds). **For Holiday Relief,** approx. six months. Resident or non-resident.

CHESTERFIELD ROYAL HOSPITAL, CHESTERFIELD (322 beds). **Second Out-Patient Sister,** S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

DERBYSHIRE—Contd.

STAFF NURSES

DERBYSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY, DERBY (General—416 beds). Fem For Wards and Theatres. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (General and Maternity—250 beds). Male Female. Non-resident.

DERBYSHIRE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, NORTH STREET, DER (84 beds). R.S.C.N. for day and night duty. Full or part-time. Resident non-resident.

MANOR HOSPITAL, DERBY (Chronic Sick and Part III — 696 bed Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, LONDON ROAD, DERBY (30 bed (Part II Midwifery Training School). Female. Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN MARY MATERNITY HOME, DUFFIELD ROAD, DERBY (36 bed (Part II Midwifery Training School). Female. Resident or non-resident.

MANOR HOSPITAL, DERBY (Chronic Sick and Part III — 696 bed Resident or non-resident.

SCARSDALE HOSPITAL, CHESTERFIELD (Medical, Chronic Sick, Men and Gynaecological—619 beds, with Part II Midwifery Training School of 72 bed Resident or non-resident. **Female.**

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (Part I Midwifery Training School) (250 bed **Night Sister,** resident or non-resident. Also Midwifery **Sister for Holiday Rel** resident or non-resident.

SCARSDALE HOSPITAL, CHESTERFIELD (Medical, Chronic Sick, Men and Gynaecological—619 beds, with Part II Midwifery Training School of 72 bed S.R.N., S.C.M., with special experience in care of premature babies. **For Pre ture Baby Unit of 72 beds.**

STAFF MIDWIVES

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (General and Maternity—250 beds). Part I M wifery Training School. Non-resident.

NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, LONDON ROAD, DERBY (30 bed (Part II Midwifery Training School). For alternate day and night duty. Re dent or non-resident.

QUEEN MARY MATERNITY HOME, DUFFIELD ROAD, DERBY (36 bed (Part II Midwifery Training School). For alternate day and night duty. Re dent or non-resident.

ASHGATE MATERNITY HOME, ASHGATE, CHESTERFIELD (24 bed S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

SCARSDALE HOSPITAL, CHESTERFIELD (Medical, Chronic Sick, Men and Gynaecological—619 beds, with Part II Midwifery Training School of 72 bed **Two Staff Midwives for Premature Baby Unit of 72 beds.** S.R.N., S.C.M., w special experience in care of premature babies. Resident or non-resident. A **Staff Midwives,** S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

SISTER TUTORS

CITY HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (General—833 beds). **Qualified** Sis Tutor. Study day system of training in operation. Resident or non-resident.

VICTORIA AND KILTON HOSPITALS, WORKSOP (Central Preliminar Training School) (General—318 beds). Female, resident. Applications to Matr Victoria Hospital, Worksop.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

SHERWOOD HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Geriatric a Chronic Sick—358 beds). S.R.N. Will be responsible for supervision of wa and staff. Two Night Sisters employed.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WORKSOP (388 beds). **Relief Administrative Sis** to commence duty on 1st April, 1952, and to relieve in Group comprising fo Hospitals: 2 General, 1 Cottage, 1 Infectious Diseases. S.R.N., S.C.M. essen

NIGHT SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (General—833 beds). Two required, charge of sections. Resident or non-resident.

"CEDARS" RECOVERY HOSPITAL (Annexe of Nottingham General Ho pital), NOTTINGHAM (112 beds). Resident. Application form from Matr General Hospital, Nottingham.

SISTERS

BARNBY ROAD HOSPITAL, NEWARK (Pulmonary T.B.—20 beds). T.A Certificate an advantage. Resident or non-resident. **Hospital to be opened shor**

SHERWOOD HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Geriatric a Chronic Sick—358 beds). **Relief Ward Sister,** S.R.N. Full or part-time. Resid or non resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (646 beds). **Second Orthopa Sister,** required immediately, for Orthopaedic Out-Patient Dept. Resident.

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, SUTTON-IN-ASHFIEL (115 beds). **Theatre Sister,** one of three. Resident. New modern Hospital to developed to 400 beds; on main bus route to Nottingham. Modern amenities Staff.

MANSFIELD AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL, WEST HILL DRIV MANSFIELD (210 beds). **Theatre Sister** for busy theatre. S.R.N. with thea experience.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, CHESTNUT DRIVE, NOTTINGHAM (134 beds **Holiday Sister,** R.S.C.N. Resident.

STAFF NURSES

BARNBY ROAD HOSPITAL, NEWARK (Pulmonary T.B.—20 beds). Ho pital to be opened shortly. Staff Nurse, also Night Nurse. T.A. Cert. as adva tage. Resident or non-resident.

SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE—Contd.

STAFF NURSES

Continued—

CITY HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (General—833 beds). **Female Staff Nurses,** resident or non-resident, for Theatre— day and night duty; for six months' experience in the Orthopaedic Department; for Medical and Surgical Wards and night duty; and S.R.N. or S.R.C.N. for Premature Baby Unit, Midwifery Dept., alternate day and night duty. **Male Staff Nurses,** non-resident, for six months' experience in Orthopaedic Department, and for night duty only.

MANSFIELD AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL, WEST HILL DRIVE, MANSFIELD (210 beds). **Staff Nurse for Fracture Clinic,** Female. Orthopaedic experience desirable but not essential. Also **Theatre Staff Nurse,** S.R.N., with theatre experience, resident; S.R.N. for P.P.U. (General Side), resident or non-resident; and **Staff Nurse,** Male or Female, for Male Orthopaedic and Fracture Ward. Resident or non-resident.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, CHESTNUT DRIVE, NOTTINGHAM (134 beds). Female, R.S.C.N. Resident.

BERDALE HALL RECOVERY HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD WOODHOUSE, NOTTS (35 beds). Staff Nurse, Female. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BARNBY ROAD HOSPITAL, NEWARK (Pulmonary T.B.—20 beds). **Two** required. T.A. Cert. an advantage. Hospital to be opened shortly. Resident or non-resident.

SHERWOOD HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Geriatric and Chronic Sick—358 beds). Female. Full or part-time. For day duty. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CITY HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (General—833 beds). Must be S.R.N. and S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

LINCOLNSHIRE

NIGHT SISTERS

LINCOLN ISOLATION AND CHEST HOSPITAL, LONG LEYS ROAD, LINCOLN (109 beds). S.R.N. and R.F.N. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

GRANTHAM AND KESTEVEN GENERAL HOSPITAL, 101 MANTHORPE ROAD, GRANTHAM (117 beds). Busy Department (12 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

GLANFORD HOSPITAL, BRIGG (Unit of 9 Maternity beds in mainly General Hospital). Resident.

LEICESTERSHIRE AND RUTLAND

SISTER TUTOR (MIDWIFERY)

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (Acute General—446 beds). M.T.D. Maximum number of Pupils is 24. Study day in operation. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

LEICESTER ISOLATION HOSPITAL AND CHEST UNIT, GROBY ROAD, LEICESTER (456 beds). S.R.N. with R.F.N. or T.A. Resident or non-resident.

LOUGHBOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BAXTER GATE, LOUGHBOROUGH (Acute General—100 beds). S.C.M., S.R.N. For Maternity Unit of 30 beds. Resident.

LEICESTERSHIRE AND RUTLAND—Contd.

SISTERS

LEICESTER ISOLATION HOSPITAL AND CHEST UNIT, GROBY ROAD, LEICESTER (456 beds). Ward Sisters, resident or non-resident. S.R.N. with R.F.N. or T.A. Also **Junior Theatre Sister,** one of four. Busy Theatre dealing with Chest Surgery; previous experience not essential; and **Children's Ward Sister** for 26-bedded non-infectious chest cases. Resident or non-resident.

CHARGE NURSES

BOSWORTH PARK INFIRMARY, MARKET BOSWORTH (152 beds—Chronic Sick, Spastic Children, Maternity, etc.). S.R.N., non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

LEICESTER ISOLATION HOSPITAL AND CHEST UNIT, GROBY ROAD, LEICESTER (456 beds). S.R.N. (Female) for one year's Fever Training or one year's T.B. Training. Resident or non-resident.

THE LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INFIRMARY SQUARE, LEICESTER (Acute General—605 beds). For Wards, day and night duty; Theatre—Recovery Home. Resident or non-resident.

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (Acute General—446 beds). **Two Theatre Staff Nurses,** resident or non-resident.

FIELDING JOHNSON PRIVATE HOSPITAL, REGENT ROAD, LEICESTER (55 beds). **Theatre Staff Nurse.** Resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

BOSWORTH PARK INFIRMARY, MARKET BOSWORTH (152 beds—Chronic Sick, Spastic Children, Maternity, etc.). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident.

THE LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INFIRMARY SQUARE, LEICESTER (Acute General—605 beds). For Abnormal Midwifery Unit. Resident or non-resident.

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (Acute General—446 beds). **Three required.** Busy unit of 57 beds, which is a First Period Training School. Resident or non-resident.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

WARD SISTERS

SCARSDALE HOSPITAL, CHESTERFIELD (619 beds). Sister for Female Mental Ward of 60 beds. S.R.M.N. Resident or non-resident.

SAXONDALE HOSPITAL, RADCLIFFE-ON-TRENT, Nr. NOTTINGHAM (Mental—940 beds). Must be qualified Mental Nurse. Resident or non-resident.

MAPPERLEY MENTAL HOSPITAL, PORCHESTER ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Lilac Ward—120 beds). Vacancies at Lilac Ward Annexe, City Hospital South, Hucknall Road, Nottingham (Geriatric Unit). Non-resident.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

SAXONDALE HOSPITAL, RADCLIFFE-ON-TRENT, Nr. NOTTINGHAM (Mental—940 beds). Must be qualified Mental Nurse. Resident or non-resident.

MAPPERLEY MENTAL HOSPITAL, PORCHESTER ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Lilac Ward—120 beds). Vacancies at Lilac Ward Annexe, City Hospital South, Hucknall Road, Nottingham (Geriatric Unit). Non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

SCARSDALE HOSPITAL, CHESTERFIELD (619 beds). **Male Staff Nurse** for Male Mental Ward of 60 beds. S.R.M.N.; also **Female Staff Nurse,** S.R.M.N., for Female Mental Ward of 60 beds. Resident or non-resident in both cases.

HOLBEACH INSTITUTION, FLEET ROAD, HOLBEACH, SPALDING (M.D. Men and Boys—203 beds). **Male.** Resident or non-resident.

RAUCEBY HOSPITAL, SLEAFORD (Hospital for Mentally Ill—550 beds). **Female.** Resident. (1)

NEWSTEAD SANATORIUM, KIRKBY ROAD, FISHPOOL Nr. MANSFIELD, NOTTS

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** at the above modern sanatorium, which has 240 beds.

The Sanatorium is a Training School for the British Tuberculosis Association certificate and is approved by the General Nursing Council as an Affiliated Training School.

Salary on scale £470 x £15—£560, plus service allowance of £30 per annum. Applications, with particulars of age, training, qualifications and experience, and names of three referees, to Matron. (2063)

ST. ALBANS CITY HOSPITAL

(General — 425 Beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** for the Mid-Herts Wing (110 beds) of the St. Albans City Hospital, which is a Training School for Student Nurses. The successful candidate must be S.R.N. and S.C.M., and have had extensive administrative experience.

Salary and conditions of service according to Whitley Council scale.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, together with the names and addresses of two referees, should be forwarded to the Group Secretary, Marshalls, Normandy Road, St. Albans, not later than 31st March, 1952. (2017)

THE SKIN HOSPITAL, 35 GEORGE ROAD EDGBASTON, BIRMINGHAM, 15

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron.**

The Hospital is situated in a residential area of Birmingham, is modern and well equipped, with a complement of 61 beds. There is also a large Out-Patient Department in John Bright Street, Birmingham.

Salary in accordance with the approved scales.

Age limit, 40 years. Applicants should be S.R.N. and S.C.M. Housekeeping certificate an advantage. Experience in administrative duties and the ability to supervise Nursing and Domestic Staffs essential.

Applications to Secretary, Hospital Management Committee, Dudley Road Hospital, Birmingham, 18. (1834)

LEEDS (A) GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, LEEDS, 12

(Maternity Beds — 109)

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses who hold the S.C.M. qualification for the appointment of **Assistant Matron,** which becomes vacant on 1-4-52. The Hospital is a Part One Midwifery Training School, and the Administrative Staff includes one other Assistant Matron. A special qualification in midwifery will be an advantage, but is not essential.

Candidates should be particularly interested in the administrative side of the Hospital, as the post offers good possibilities to persons wishing to progress in this direction.

Salary is in accordance with the recommendations of the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council (£490 x £20—£610, with a deduction of £150 p.a. in respect of board residence, etc.).

Applications, on a form to be obtained from the undersigned, should be returned not later than the 29th March, 1952.

J. FOLKARD,
Secretary to the Committee.

Administrative Offices, St. James's Hospital, Leeds, 9. (2021)

BLACKPOOL AND FYLDE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

WESHAM PARK HOSPITAL

(Beds: 314 Chronic and Sub-Acute; 44 Mental)

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Assistant Matron** (resident).

Applicants must be General State Registered Nurses with administrative experience. Post-graduate education and the possession of the R.M.P.A. Certificate will be an advantage.

The Hospital participates in the Group Training Scheme and has an active P.T.S. for Pupil Assistant Nurses.

Salary and conditions of appointment are as laid down by Whitley Council. Present salary scale: £515 x £15—£605, less a deduction of £150 for board-residence.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, together with the names and addresses of three referees, to be made to the Secretary, Blackpool and Fylde H.M.C., Victoria Hospital, Blackpool. (2302)

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the undermentioned appointments, which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifica training and experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to THE MATRON of the approp Hospital, from whom further details may be obtained if necessary. Salaries in accordance with appropriate National Scales.

LANCASHIRE

SISTER TUTORS

Oldham Group Training School, Boundary Park Hospital, Oldham. Qualified preferred, but consideration would be given to candidates with teaching experience. Persons appointed could participate in the teaching of either P.T.S. or Senior Students, or both.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Birch Hill Hospital, Rochdale (General —956 beds) Applicants should have held the post of Ward Sister previously.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS (THEATRE)

Bolton District General Hospital, Farnworth (Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School) (General—521 beds) Resident or non-resident, for Relief Administrative duties.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Lake Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly General—600 beds) Also for duty at Ashton Infirmary.

NIGHT SISTERS

Boundary Park General Hospital Annexe, Oldham (a Training School for Assistant Nurses) (Chronic Sick — 372 beds) It is anticipated that in the near future Departments will be opened for the treatment of acute conditions. Relief required.

Hope Hospital, Salford, 6 (General and Maternity—790 beds) Resident or non-resident. Two nights off per week.

PART-TIME-NIGHT SISTER

Eccles and Patricroft Hospital, Eccles (General, mainly Surgical — 72 beds) Female, 10 nights per month.

HOME SISTERS

Ashton Infirmary, Ashton-under-Lyne (General—200 beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

Eccles and Patricroft Hospital, Eccles (General, Mainly Surgical—72 beds) One Senior, One Junior (Female), preferably with experience.

Lake Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne, (Mainly General—600 beds) Junior.

Reedyford Memorial Hospital, Nelson (General—64 beds).

Boundary Park General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (General—314 beds) Also Junior required.

Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan (General—198 beds).

Christopher Private Patients' Home, Wigan Lane, Wigan (General—30 beds) Female required.

Oldham Royal Infirmary, Oldham (General—200 beds) Assistant required.

Park Hospital, Davyhulme, Manchester (General—426 beds) Junior (Female).

WARD SISTERS

Boundary Park General Hospital Annexe, Oldham (a Training School for Assistant Nurses) (Chronic Sick — 372 beds) It is anticipated that in the near future Departments will be opened for the treatment of acute conditions.

Reedyford Memorial Hospital, Nelson (General—64 beds) For Female Medical Ward.

Infectious Diseases Hospital, Marsden Road, Burnley (Isolation—100 beds) For Fever Ward.

Burnley General Hospital, Burnley (General—656 beds, including 148 Mental) For day duty. Chronic Wards. Also Junior Sisters for Female Surgical, Male and Female Medical Wards.

Boundary Park General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (General—314 beds) (Gynaecological) Also Holiday Relief required.

Ancoats Hospital, Mill Street, Manchester, 4 (General—152 beds) (Temporary) for Children's Ward.

Bolton District General Hospital, Farnworth (Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School) (General — 521 beds) For busy Gynaecological Ward for acute cases only. Candidates must be S.R.N. and S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

Eaves Lane Hospital, Chorley (Mental and Sick — 211 beds) S.R.N. for night duty.

Oldham Royal Infirmary, Union Street West, Oldham (General — 200 beds) Assistant for Female Surgical Ward.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General — 1,225 beds) For Premature Babies' Unit.

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Eccles and Patricroft Hospital, Eccles (General, mainly Surgical — 72 beds) Holiday Relief from April onwards.

Hulton Hospital, Hulton Lane, Bolton (Infectious Dis., Female Pulm. T.B. and Geriatric—142 beds) Female required for recently modernised Cubicle Block, catering for acute medical and infectious diseases. Qualifications: S.R.N. or R.F.N., or both. Junior Ward Sister, Female, also required. Qualifications: S.R.N. or R.F.N. or both.

Roose Hospital, Barrow-in-Furness (Mainly Chronic Sick — 252 beds) For Female Chronic Sick Ward. S.R.N. Additional qualification of S.C.M. an advantage.

Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan (General — 198 beds) Holiday Relief (Female) required. Ward Sisters (Female) also required for Children's Ward and for Male Surgical Ward.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Boundary Park General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Maternity Unit) (Maternity—76 beds) (Junior required).

Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan (General—198 beds) Female for Preliminary Training School (Qualified).

Bolton District General Hospital, Farnworth (Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School) (General — 521 beds) Qualified Sister Tutor to assist Principal Sister Tutor. Resident or non-resident.

Bull Hill Maternity Home, Darwen (Maternity—17 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

Cottage Hospital, Urmston, Manchester (Maternity — 22 beds) S.R.N., S.C.M. (Female). Non-resident.

Lake Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly General—600 beds).

Park Hospital, Davyhulme, Manchester (General—426 beds) For Maternity Unit.

Woodfield Maternity Home, Manchester Road, Oldham (Amenity—20 beds) Resident. Candidates may be either S.R.N. with Part I or Part I and Part II Midwifery Training, wishing to gain experience, and willing to act as Maternity Nurses.

Bank Hall Maternity Hospital, Burnley (Part I Training School) (Maternity—51 beds) S.R.N. and S.C.M. or S.R.C.N. and S.C.M. Experienced in the nursing care of premature infants an advantage but not essential

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General — 1,225 beds) S.R.N. and S.C.M.

Queen Victoria Hospital, Morecambe (General—100 beds) For modern Maternity Unit of 20 beds

Rough Lea Maternity Home, Accrington (Maternity — 11 beds) Resident or non-resident.

Christopher Private Patients' Home, Wigan Lane, Wigan (General—30 beds).

Sharoe Green Hospital, Fulwood, Preston (Mainly General and Obstetrical—360 beds) Part II Midwifery Training School. Resident or non-resident.

Bull Hill Maternity Home, Darwen (Maternity—17 beds).

CHARGE NURSES (MALE)

Hope Hospital, Salford, 6 (General and Maternity—790 beds) Resident or non-resident. Two nights off per week.

STAFF NURSES (THEATRE)

Queen Victoria Hospital, Morecambe (General — 100 beds) Full-time, either S.R.N. or S.E.A.N. with good Theatre experience. Resident or non-resident.

LANCASHIRE—Contd.

STAFF NURSES (THEATRE)

Continued—

Reedyford Memorial Hospital, Nelson (General—64 beds).

STAFF NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Reedyford Memorial Hospital, Nelson (General—64 beds) For Wards.

Oldham Royal Infirmary, Union Street West, Oldham (General—200 beds) For General Wards.

Boundary Park General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (General—314 beds) For Wards and Departments.

Boundary Park General Hospital Annexe, Oldham (A Training School for Assistant Nurses) (Chronic Sick — 372 beds) It is anticipated that in the near future Departments will be opened for the treatment of acute conditions.

Hartley Hospital, Colne, Lancs (General —42 beds) For Wards.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan (General—198 beds) For Orthopaedic Ward.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bridgewater Hospital, Patricroft, Manchester (Chronic Sick and Mental — 330 beds) For Hospital Wards.

Burnley General Hospital (General—656 beds) (Including 148 Mental) For Children's Department.

Park Hospital, Davyhulme (General—426 beds) For General Wards, preferably with experience.

Hulton Hospital, Hulton Lane, Bolton (Infectious Dis., Female Pulm. T.B. and Geriatric — 142 beds) Qualifications: S.R.N. or R.F.N. or both.

Newlands Nursing Home, Chorley New Road, Bolton (Private—32 beds) Resident.

Birch Hill Hospital, Rochdale (General —956 beds) Required for alternative night and day duty in modern Children's Unit of 50 beds. Applicants should be S.R.C.N. or S.R.N. with children's experience.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General — 1,225 beds) For General Wards.

Cottage Hospital, Urmston (Maternity —22 beds) Part I Midwifery. Female. Non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan (General—198 beds) For Orthopaedic Ward.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Lake Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly General—600 beds).

Bridgewater Hospital, Patricroft, Manchester (Chronic Sick and Mental — 330 beds) For Hospital Wards.

Strineadale Sanatorium, Moorside, Oldham (Tuberculosis—65 beds) Resident or non-resident.

Woodfield Maternity Home, Manchester Road, Oldham (Amenity—20 beds) Resident.

Rochdale Children's Orthopaedic Hospital, Bamford, Rochdale (Orthopaedic—50 beds) Resident or non-resident. Pleasant work for anyone interested in children.

Hulton Hospital, Hulton Lane, Bolton (Infectious Dis., Female Pulm. T.B. and Geriatric—142 beds).

Lytham Hospital, Lytham (General—53 beds) Resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Park Hospital, Davyhulme, Manchester (General — 426 beds) For School commencing 1st May and 1st August, 1952. Candidates must possess the S.R.N. Certificate.

Lake Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (600 beds—including 80 Maternity) For Schools commencing 1st May and 1st August, 1952. Candidates must be S.R.N., S.R.C.N. (6 months), or non-S.R.N. (18 months).

Boundary Park General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Maternity Unit) (Maternity—76 beds) (Part I Training) Study Day. Approved for Gas and Air Analgesia Training. Coaching throughout by qualified Resident Tutor.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General —1,225 beds) S.R.N.

Bank Hall Maternity Hospital, Burnley (Part I Training School) S.R.N. or S.R.C.N. Lectures and experience in nursing care of premature infants, training in Dr. Minnitt's Gas and Air Analgesia are available.

Bolton District General Hospital, Farnworth (Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School) (General—521 beds) Resident. To undertake Part I Midwifery Training according to the rules of the Central Midwives Board, including Gas and Air Analgesia Training.

CHESHIRE

NIGHT SUPERINTENDE

Stockport Infirmary, Stockport (G —175 beds) Senior of two Sister Hospital with busy Casualty Depart Must have held Ward Sister's post.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTE (ADMINISTRATIVE)

Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport (eral—464 beds) Housekeeping Certi desirable. Responsible for the ca for resident Nursing Staff and Assistant Matron.

NIGHT SISTERS

Altrincham General Hospital, cham (General — 130 beds) Second quired.

Stockport Infirmary, Stockport (G —175 beds) Second required, Apri to share responsibility.

THEATRE SISTERS

Victoria Infirmary, Northwich (Ge —50 beds).

WARD SISTERS

Hyde Hospital, Hyde (Infec Diseases, Tuberculosis, Chronic Sick beds) Chronic Ward.

Sale and Brooklands War Me Hospital, Sale (General and Materni 35 beds) S.R.N. and S.C.M.

Nab Top Sanatorium, Margie, Stockport Tuberculosis — 100 b B.T.A. Certificate or tuberculosis nu experience desirable.

Stepping Hill Hospital, Sto (General—464 beds) For 32-bedded Sanatorium. Preference will be given a candidate possessing the B.T.A. Ce cate.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

The Sale and Brooklands War Me Hospital, Charlton Drive, Sale (Ge and Maternity—35 beds) Senior requ

STAFF MIDWIVES

Stepping Hill Hospital, Sto (General—464 beds) For modern Ma ity Unit of 73 beds.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Stepping Hill Hospital, Sto (General—464 beds) For Part I Trai (Vacancy for a non-S.R.N.). Sch commence 1st May and 1st August, 1

CHARGE NURSES (MALE

Shaw Heath Hospital, Sto (Chronic Sick and Mental — 446 b Non-resident. To work directly un the supervision of the Chief Male Nu Candidates must have the R.M.P.A. preference will be given to S.R.N.

Stepping Hill Hospital, Sto (General—464 beds) For 32-bedded Sanatorium. Preference will be given a candidate possessing the B.T.A. Ce cate.

STAFF NURSES (THEATR

Altrincham General Hospital, Alt cham (General—130 beds).

STAFF NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

St. Anne's (E.N.T.) Hospital, Bow Altrincham (E.N.T.—53 beds).

Nab Top Sanatorium, Margie, S Stockport (Tuberculosis—100 beds).

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Crewe Memorial Hospital, Victo Avenue, Crewe (General—108 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

St. Anne's (E.N.T.) Hospital, Bow Altrincham (E.N.T.—53 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Crewe Memorial Hospital, Victo Avenue, Crewe (General—108 beds).

DERBYSHIRE

WARD SISTERS

Shire Hill Hospital, Glossop (Ch —85 beds).

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD (Contd.)

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

NIGHT SISTER

Boundary Park General Hospital Annexe, Psychiatric Unit, Rochdale Road, Oldham (124 Female beds, 100 Male beds) Female required.

STAFF NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Boundary Park General Hospital Annexe, Psychiatric Unit, Rochdale Road, Oldham, Lancs (124 Female beds, 100 Male beds) Qualified in Mental Nursing.

WARD SISTERS

Boundary Park General Hospital Annexe, Psychiatric Unit, Rochdale Road, Oldham (124 Female beds, 100 Male beds) Female required.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Burnley General Hospital (General—656 beds, including 148 Mental).

Shaw Heath Hospital, Stockport, Cheshire (Chronic Sick and Mental—446 beds) R.M.P.A. Certificate. For duty in Mental Wards.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bridgewater Hospital, Patricroft, Manchester (Chronic Sick and Mental — 330 beds) For Mental Wards.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (MALE or FEMALE)

Bridgewater Hospital, Patricroft, Manchester (Chronic Sick and Mental — 330 beds) Class I. For Mental Wards.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for **Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses** and **Pupil Midwives** at Training Hospitals (including ental Hospitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) in all parts of the Region, which comprises parts of Lancashire, Cheshire, Derby-ire and Westmorland. Applicants who wish to enter training should write to the Matron of the Hospital of their choice referred to the above advertisement, mentioning the advertisement in their letters. (70)

LLINGLY MENTAL HOSPITAL AILSHAM, Nr. EASTBOURNE SUSSEX

tions are invited for the post of **Matron** at the above Hospital. and R.M.N. essential. Salary and ns of service in accordance with Whit-ncil recommendations.

ngly Hospital is a Training School for Nurses.

ations, stating age, qualifications evious experience, accompanied by of two recent testimonials, to be ad-to the Secretary, Hailsham Hospitals nt Committee, Hellingly Hospital. (2069)

NCHESTER GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE OWDERY DOWN HOSPITAL BASINGSTOKE

(234 Chronic Sick Beds)

ancy occurs for post of **Assistant** at above Hospital. Salary as Whit-ncil scale: £460 x £15—£550 per

ations, giving particulars of age, qualifications, and experience, and of two referees, should be sent to immediately. (2071)

YFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL WESTERN HOUSE, WARE

hronic Sick Beds in separate Block and 200 Part III Beds)

nt Matron (S.R.N.) (resident) re-t above establishment. Whitley Coun-y and conditions of service.

ations, stating age, qualifications perience, together with copies of two estimonials, to Matron. (2130)

HAM-BRENTRY HOSPITAL GROUP MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

y Matron Superintendent required at f Help, 112 Walcot Street, Bath—a 40 high-grade female mental defec-

y in accordance with Nurses and Mid-Council scales, i.e.: £460 by £15 to qualified, or if unqualified, £20 less; 40 for board, lodging, etc. Super-n and conditions of service in accord-th the National Health Service.

ations to the Group Secretary, Brentry Hospital Group Manage-Committee, 11 Regent Street, Clifton, 8. (2134)

OUNTY BOROUGH OF WIGAN CHILDREN ACT, 1948

NTMENT OF DEPUTY MATRON

tions are invited for the following the Council's Residential Nursery. nts should have had previous experi-the care and upbringing of children.

y Matron, S.R.N., £130, rising by crements of £15, plus £5, to £210 um (plus £120 value of emoluments). commencing point within the scale determined according to experience.

s of application may be obtained from dren's Officer, the Wiend, Wigan, and be forwarded to the Children's Officer, with copies of three recent testi-not later than the 28th March.

ALLAN ROYLE,
l Buildings, Wigan. Town Clerk.
(2169)

NWAY HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

NWAY HOSPITAL, DEVIZES WILTS

tions are invited for the post of **Matron** at the above Mental Hos-posed Training School). Candidates be S.R.N. and either R.M.N. or Whitley Council salary scale, viz.: ising to a maximum of £550 per less residential charge of £130 per

ations, stating age, experience, quali-, and the names and addresses of two should be forwarded to the Medical (2320)

MELKSHAM HOSPITAL, MELKSHAM, WILTS

(42 Beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** at the above Hospital. The person appointed will be required to do some relief duties and assist in the training of Pupil Assistant Nurses. Salary in accordance with the N.M.C. scale: £465 x £15 to £555 per annum, with a deduction of £140 per annum for board residence.

Applications, with copies of two recent testimonials, should be forwarded to the Matron (1949)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL, COUNTY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

THE LODGE, EFFINGHAM

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT MATRON

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for the appointment of **Assistant Matron** at The Lodge, Effingham, a Home accommodating 50 sane female epileptics.

Salary scale: £375 x £15/£20—£500 per annum, less a deduction of £130 per annum in respect of full board, lodging, laundry, etc.

The post is subject to Whitley conditions of service, the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and a medical examination.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, together with the names and addresses of two persons to whom reference may be made, should be sent to the County Welfare Officer, 2 Palace Road, Kingston upon Thames, as soon as possible. (2260)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, STONE, AYLESBURY

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** at this Mental Hospital. Candidates must be qualified in General and Mental Nursing. N.M.C. salary and conditions of service.

Applications, stating age, experience, present appointment, and giving the names and addresses of two referees, to the Physician-Superintendent. (2263)

TILWORTH GRANGE, SUTTON, HULL

Deputy Matron, Tilworth Grange, Sutton, Hull. S.R.N. and R.M.N. or R.M.P.A. Institution for female mental defectives (150 beds).

Apply with names of two referees to Secretary, Hull (B) Group H.M.C., De la Pole Hospital, Willerby, E. Yorkshire. (2147)

LICHFIELD, SUTTON COLDFIELD AND TAMWORTH HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

ST. MICHAEL'S HOSPITAL, LICHFIELD

One Assistant Matron, S.R.N., S.C.M. Salary in accordance with National scales.

Applications to Secretary, 15 Trent Valley Road, Lichfield. (2155)

SOUTH WORCESTERSHIRE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER

(375 Beds)

The Committee invite applications for the following posts in this General Hospital, which is to be a full General Training School, in association with the Worcester Royal Infirmary, and will contain a new and modern Obstetric Unit of 50 beds:—

(1) (a) **Assistant Matron.**
(b) **Administrative Sister.**
(2) (a) **Superintendent Midwife** with Teacher's Diploma.
(b) **Night Sister** in sole charge of Obstetric Unit.
(3) **Staff Nurses** for Theatres, Neuro-surgical and Gynaecological Wards.

Applications, stating clearly the post applied for, and giving the names of two referees (3 for the Assistant Matron), to be sent to the Secretary to the Committee at Worcester Royal Infirmary. (2161)

AYLESBURY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited from General State Registered Nurses with administrative experience for the post of **Assistant Matron** at Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury, a large General Hospital of 624 beds. Post-graduate education an advantage. Whitley Council conditions of service. Salary: £555 x £15—£645.

Applications, stating age and details of experience, together with names of three referees, to the Secretary, 9 Bicester Road, Aylesbury, by 19th April, 1952. (2193)

LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL

Resident Assistant Matrons (permanent) required at Homes for healthy aged and in-firm men and women, Hillside, St John's Way, N.19 (1,269 residents), £330 to £426 plus £63 allowance; Newington Lodge, Westmore land Road, S.E.17 (908 residents), £330 to £426. Residential emoluments and uniform in each case. Commencing point within scale dependent on present salary if Whitley. Nursing qualifications desirable.

Application form from Chief Officer, Welfare Department, Old County Hall, Spring Gardens, S.W.1. (264) (2216)

GOOLE, HOWDEN AND SELBY HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Group Assistant Matron required for the following Hospitals:—

BARTHOLOMEW HOSPITAL, GOOLE, Surgical, 44 beds and busy O.P. Department.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, GOOLE, Chronic Sick and Medical, 126 beds.

THORPE ROAD HOSPITAL, HOWDEN, Chronic Sick, 30 beds.

Applicants should be S.R.N. and S.C.M., and the possession of a Housekeeping Certificate would be an advantage.

Recent theatre and surgical experience is necessary.

Applications, with the names and addresses of three referees, to be sent to the Group Secretary, St. John's Hospital, Goole. Closing date, Thursday, 3rd April, 1952.

Resident Sister-in-Charge, S.R.N., required with theatre experience at BARTHOLOMEW HOSPITAL, GOOLE (Surgical—44 beds. Busy O.P. Department). Applications, with names and addresses for reference, to Matron of the Hospital.

Resident Sister-in-Charge, S.R.N., required at ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, GOOLE (Chronic Sick and Medical—126 beds).

Applications, with names and addresses for reference, to Matron of the Hospital.

Whitley Council rates of pay and conditions of service applicable to the above posts. (2234)

PLYMOUTH SPECIAL HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Assistant Matron** at DIDWORTHY CHEST HOSPITAL, SOUTH BRENT, 126 beds. Training School for B.T.A. Certificate, also incorporated in Comprehensive Training Scheme for Plymouth Hospitals. Salary on scale £470—£560 per annum, less charge for residence, etc.

Applications, giving full particulars of age, training, qualifications and experience, together with names of two referees, to the Secretary, P.S.H.M.C., c/o 7/8 Nelson Gardens, Stoke, Plymouth. (2235)

WEST BROMWICH AND DISTRICT HOSPITALS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Group No. 18 (Birmingham Region)

HALLAM HOSPITAL, HALLAM STREET WEST BROMWICH

Complete Male and Female General Training School with Part I Midwifery

(440 Beds)

First Assistant Matron required. Must be S.R.N. and S.C.M., and have had previous administrative experience in a General Hospital.

Full particulars of the post and application form may be obtained from Matron. (2243)

MANCHESTER BABIES' AND CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

MONSALL HOSPITAL, MANCHESTER, 10

Applications invited for the post of **Second Assistant Matron.** The Hospital is a Nurses' Training School (Infectious Diseases), situated on a bus route within 10 minutes of the city centre.

Salary: £530 x £15—£620 p.a., less £150 p.a. for residential emoluments.

Applications to be sent as soon as possible to Matron, Monsall Hospital, Newton Heath, Manchester, 10. (2245)

SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees or copies of two recent testimonials, to THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL from whom also further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

SISTER TUTORS

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY
BARNSTAPLE, N. DEVON (110 beds). **In Sole Charge.**

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY
TRURO (General—212 beds). **Assistant Sister Tuter. Teaching Diploma an advantage.** Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

ILFRACOMBE AND DISTRICT TYRRELL HOSPITAL
ILFRACOMBE, DEVON (32 beds).

MINEHEAD AND WEST SOMERSET HOSPITAL
MINEHEAD, SOMS (58 beds). In Charge. S.R.N., S.C.M.

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY
TRURO (General—212 beds). **With Theatre experience.** One of three.

STANDISH HOUSE SANATORIUM
STONEHOUSE, GLOS. (278 beds). **Two required,** S.R.N. Experience of T.B. nursing essential. Four nights off duty alternate week-ends. Transport to bus stop and railway stations.

WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
BURNHAM-ON-SEA, SOMS. (25 beds). Required as soon as possible. Resident.

WELLS AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
WELLS, SOMS. (40 beds). With S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL
BARNSTAPLE (169 beds).

CAMBORNE-REDRUTH MINERS' AND GENERAL HOSPITAL
REDRUTH (General—159 beds, inc. Midwifery—60 beds). **Two Relief Ward Sisters.**

FALMOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
FALMOUTH (Acute Medical and Surgical—62 beds). **Theatre Sister** with good experience for busy department.

FROME VICTORIA HOSPITAL
PARK ROAD, FROME, SOMS. (43 beds). **Ward Sister, able to relieve in Theatre.**

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
GLOUCESTER. **Three Holiday Relief Sisters.** To commence 1st April. Must be S.R.N. and should have previously held Ward Sister's posts.

MATERNITY HOSPITAL
OLD WELLS ROAD, SHEPTON MALLET (9 beds). **Sister-in-Charge.** Resident or non-resident.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY
BARNSTAPLE (110 beds). **Sister** for Holiday Relief from April. S.R.N., S.C.M.

NORTH DEVON JOINT ISOLATION HOSPITAL
BIDEFORD (34 beds).

PAULTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
PAULTON, Nr. BRISTOL (56 beds). **Ward Sister.** Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY
TRURO, CORNWALL (General—212 beds). **Holiday Relief Ward Sisters.**

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL
COMBE PARK, BATH (362 beds). **Holiday Sisters,** S.R.N., for Administrative and Ward Relief duty from April to October. Also **Ward Sister,** S.R.N., for Medical Ward for Chest cases. Modern General Hospital.

ST. AUSTELL AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
ST. AUSTELL, CORNWALL (General—32 beds). **Theatre Sister.**

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL
OLD WELLS ROAD, SHEPTON MALLET (Chronic Sick—40 beds). **Ward Sister.** Resident.

SHEPTON MALLET DISTRICT HOSPITAL
SHEPTON MALLET (30 beds). **Ward Sister,** resident or non-resident.

STANDISH HOUSE SANATORIUM
STONEHOUSE, GLOS. (278 beds). **Theatre Sister,** S.R.N. Minor chest surgery and clinics.

TEHIDY SANATORIUM
CAMBORNE (147 beds). **Ward Sister,** S.R.N. B.T.A. Cert. preferred.

UNDERWOOD HOUSE HOSPITAL
PLYMPTON, DEVON (Chronic Sick—160 beds). **Ward Sister, S.R.N. Resident.**

WESTON-SUPER-MARE GENERAL HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (105 beds). Training School for Nurses. **Theatre Sister,** one of two.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL
LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH (135 beds). **Ward Sister, S.R.N., with T.B. experience, for Women's Block.**

STAFF NURSES (Female)

ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL
BARNSTAPLE, DEVON (169 beds). S.R.N.

BARNCOOSE GERIATRIC HOSPITAL
REDRUTH, CORNWALL (132 beds).

BATH ISOLATION HOSPITAL
CLAVERTON DOWN, BATH (88 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N. S.R.F.N. or T.A. Cert.

BIDEFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
BIDEFORD (51 beds). Staff Nurses. Preferably S.R.N., but R.S.C.N. only sidered.

CAMBORNE-REDRUTH MINERS' AND GENERAL HOSPITAL
REDRUTH, CORNWALL (159 beds, inc. 60 Maternity). S.R.N.

CASHES GREEN HOSPITAL
STROUD, GLOS. (64 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Certificate. Opportunity to B.T.A. Cert.

DIDWORTHY CHEST HOSPITAL
SOUTH BRENT, DEVON (126 beds). S.R.N.s, Female, required to take year's training for B.T.A. Certificate.

DROVE ROAD HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (Geriatric Unit—30 beds). Required as soon as possible. Non-resident.

EAR, NOSE AND THROAT HOSPITAL
27 MARLBOROUGH BUILDINGS, BATH (30 beds). S.R.N.

EDWARD BOLITHO CONVALESCENT HOME
PENZANCE, CORNWALL (23 beds). S.R.N.

FALMOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
FALMOUTH (Acute Medical and Surgical—62 beds). **For busy Theatre** (Gen Surgery). Near sea. Excellent experience.

FRENCHAY HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (470 staffed beds). For Plastic and Thoracic Surgery and V.D. Ward (Day duty) and Theatre.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
GREAT WESTERN ROAD, GLOUCESTER (316 beds). **Night Staff Nurse,** Theatre experience an advantage. Also Staff Nurse for Dermatological Dept. for Orthopaedic Ward, good experience obtained in this type of work; and for Gynaecological Ward.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
SOUTHGATE STREET, GLOUCESTER (245 beds). Staff Nurses required, for Ophthalmic Dept. Suitable post for someone interested in gaining ophthalmic experience; also one each for E.N.T. Dept., Private Block, Children's Ward, Casualty Dept. Applications to Matron, Great Western Road Unit, Gloucester.

HAWKMOOR CHEST HOSPITAL
BOVEY TRACEY, S. DEVON (210 beds). Major Thoracic Surgical Unit for Diseases of the Chest. Affiliated Training School under the G.N.C., and Training School for the B.T.A. Certificate. S.R.N.s required to take B.T.A. Certificate, year's training; also Staff Nurses, B.T.A.

ILFRACOMBE AND DISTRICT TYRRELL HOSPITAL
ILFRACOMBE (32 beds).

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY
BARNSTAPLE (110 beds). For Women's Medical and Surgical Wards. **Theatre Staff Nurse** and **Two Staff Nurses** for Holiday Relief from April.

PAULTON MEMORAL HOSPITAL
PAULTON, Near BRISTOL, GLOS. (56 beds). Resident.

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY
TRURO, CORNWALL (General—212 beds).

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL
COMBE PARK, BATH (362 beds). Modern General Hospital, approved for General Training. S.R.N. for work in General and Special Departments.

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL
MIDFORD ROAD, BATH (515 beds) **Staff Nurses** required, S.C.M., also **Theatre Staff Nurses,** S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL
DEVONPORT (55 beds). Three required. S.R.N.

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL
FREEDOM FIELDS, PLYMOUTH (418 beds). S.R.N. Good surgical experience.

STANDISH HOUSE SANATORIUM
STONEHOUSE, GLOS. (278 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Certificate. Opportunity to take B.T.A. Cert. Transport to bus stop and railway stations.

STROUD GENERAL HOSPITAL
STROUD, GLOS. (53 beds). **For Wards and Casualty Dept.**

TEHIDY SANATORIUM
CAMBORNE (147 beds). S.R.N. with B.T.A. Certificate or experience in Nursing. Facilities available for taking B.T.A. Examination.

UNDERWOOD HOUSE HOSPITAL
PLYMPTON, DEVON (Chronic Sick—160 beds). S.R.N., Female. Resident.

WEST CORNWALL HOSPITAL
PENZANCE, CORNWALL (General Training School). For Poltair Geriatric Annexe. New Annexe now open.

SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

STAFF NURSES (Female)—Contd.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE GENERAL HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (105 beds). Training School for Nurses. Female. Residents or non-resident.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL
LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH (135 beds). S.R.N. or T.A. Certificate or opportunity to take T.A. Certificate.

STAFF NURSES (Male)

ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL
BARNSTAPLE, DEVON (169 beds). S.R.N.

BARNCOOSE GERIATRIC HOSPITAL
REDRUTH, CORNWALL (132 beds).

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL
COMBE PARK, BATH (362 beds). Modern General Hospital, approved for General Training. S.R.N. for work in General and Special Departments.

TEHIDY SANATORIUM
CAMBORNE, CORNWALL (147 beds). S.R.N. with B.T.A. Cert. or experience in T.B. nursing. Facilities available for taking B.T.A. Examination.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL
BARNSTAPLE (169 Beds). Male or Female.

BARNCOOSE GERIATRIC HOSPITAL
REDRUTH, CORNWALL (132 beds). Male or Female.

BATH ISOLATION HOSPITAL
CLAVERTON DOWN, BATH (88 beds). Resident or non-resident.

CASHES GREEN HOSPITAL
STROUD, GLOS. (64 beds).

CLUTTON INFIRMARY
TEMPLE CLOUD, Near BRISTOL, GLOS. (Chronic Sick—51 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident. **Self-contained flat available for two friends.**

DIDWORTHY CHEST HOSPITAL
SOUTH BRENT, DEVON (126 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

DROVE ROAD HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (Geriatric Unit—30 beds). Required as soon as possible. Non-resident.

FROME VICTORIA HOSPITAL
PARK ROAD, FROME, SOMS. (43 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
SOUTHGATE STREET, GLOUCESTER (245 beds). Four required. Applications to Matron, Great Western Road Unit, Gloucester.

HAWKMOOR CHEST HOSPITAL
BOVEY TRACEY, S. DEVON (210 beds). Major Thoracic Surgical Unit for Diseases of the Chest. Affiliated Training School under the G.N.C., and Training School for the B.T.A. Certificate.

HAWLEY HOSPITAL
BARNSTAPLE (All Types Medical T.B. Cases—31 beds). Alternate day and night duties.

HIGHFIELD MATERNITY HOME
BARNSTAPLE, DEVON.

KEYNSHAM HOSPITAL
KEYNSHAM, Near BRISTOL, GLOS. (Chronic Sick—100 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident

MATERNITY HOSPITAL
OLD WELLS ROAD, SHEPTON MALLET (9 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

MINEHEAD AND WEST SOMERSET HOSPITAL
MINEHEAD (58 beds). Female.

PAULTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
PAULTON, Near BRISTOL, GLOS. (56 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

REHABILITATION ANNEXE
PERRANPORTH, CORNWALL (45 beds).

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL
COMBE PARK, BATH (362 beds). Male or Female.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

ROYAL WEST OF ENGLAND CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL
UPHILL ROAD, WESTON-SUPER-MARE, SOMS. (150 beds). Required as soon as possible. Non-resident.

ST. AUSTELL AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
ST. AUSTELL, CORNWALL (General—32 beds).

SOUTH MOLTON AND DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
SOUTH MOLTON, DEVON.

TEHIDY SANATORIUM
CAMBORNE, CORNWALL (147 beds).

TETBURY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
TETBURY, GLOS. (16 beds). Apply Sister-in-Charge. Resident or non-resident.

UNDERWOOD HOUSE HOSPITAL
PLYMPTON, DEVON (160 Chronic Sick beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
BURNHAM-ON-SEA, SOMS. (25 beds). Required as soon as possible. Resident or non-resident.

WELLS AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
WELLS, SOMS. (40 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL
LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH (135 beds).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CAMBORNE-REDRUTH MINERS' AND GENERAL HOSPITAL
REDRUTH, CORNWALL (General—159 beds, inc. Midwifery—60 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Good midwifery experience.

COTSWOLD MATERNITY HOSPITAL
TETBURY, GLOS. (16 beds). Alternate day and night duty.

MATERNITY HOSPITAL
OLD WELLS ROAD, SHEPTON MALLET (9 beds). Resident or non-resident.

REDHILLS HOSPITAL
ST. THOMAS, EXETER (Maternity Unit—10 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. (Gas-Air Certificate an advantage). Non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

BICCLESCOMBE PARK MATERNITY HOME
ILFRACOMBE (24 beds).

CAMBORNE-REDRUTH MINERS' AND GENERAL HOSPITAL
REDRUTH, CORNWALL (159 beds, inc. 60 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C.M.

CHIPPING SODBURY COTTAGE HOSPITAL
CHIPPING SODBURY, Nr. BRISTOL (All Maternity—13 beds). **Part-time duties considered.**

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
(MATERNITY HOSPITAL), GREAT WESTERN ROAD, GLOUCESTER (30 beds). Three required.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY
BARNSTAPLE, DEVON (110 beds). For Maternity Ward of 12 beds.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL
COMBE PARK, BATH (362 beds). Modern General Hospital, approved for General training. S.R.N., S.C.M.

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL
MIDFORD ROAD, BATH (515 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL
MATERNITY DEPARTMENT, FREEDOM FIELDS, PLYMOUTH (36 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL
MATERNITY DEPARTMENT, FREEDOM FIELDS AND FLETE ANNEXE (32 beds). S.R.N. (Training School for Part I Midwifery). Excellent experience. Vacancies May and August, 1952. Applications to Matron, Freedom Fields, Plymouth.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

WARD SISTERS

BARROW HOSPITAL
BARROW GURNEY, Nr. BRISTOL (378 beds). R.M.N.

BRISTOL MENTAL HOSPITAL
FISHPONDS, BRISTOL (1,197 beds). R.M.N.

LYNCHFIELD HOSPITAL
BISHOP'S LYDEARD, Nr. TAUNTON (Female—40 beds). R.M.N. or R.M.P.A. (Hospital for the aged suffering from mental infirmity).

TONE VALE HOSPITAL
NORTON FITZWARREN, Nr. TAUNTON (Female—605 beds). One required.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

TONE VALE HOSPITAL
NORTON FITZWARREN, Nr. TAUNTON (Female—605 beds).

STAFF NURSES (Female)

BARROW HOSPITAL
BARROW GURNEY, Nr. BRISTOL (378 beds).

BRISTOL MENTAL HOSPITAL
FISHPONDS, BRISTOL (1,197 beds).

TONE VALE HOSPITAL
NORTON FITZWARREN, Nr. TAUNTON (Female—605 beds).

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives, at Training Hospitals in all parts of the Region. A list of Hospitals (including Mental Hospitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) which are recognised Training Schools will be sent on application to the Regional Nursing Officer, South Western Regional Hospital Board, 5/6 Cotham Lawn Road, Cotham, Bristol, 6.

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SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

NURSING STAFF APPOINTMENTS

Applications are invited for the following appointments, which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, trai and experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron (NT/SW) of the appropri Hospital, from whom also further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance wih the scales of the Nurses and Midw Whitley Council or other appropriate National scales.

SOUTH WEST LONDON

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

St. James's Hospital, Ouseley Road, Balham, S.W.12 (General—660 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Bolingbroke Hospital, Wandsworth Common, S.W.11 (General—135 beds). In charge of one Night Sister.

Putney Hospital, Lower Common, S.W.15 (General—106 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident. Required early June.

SISTER TUTORS

Lambeth Hospital, Brook Drive, S.E.11 (General—486 beds).

St. James' Hospital, Ouseley Road, Balham, S.W.12 (General—660 beds). Resident or non-resident.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W.10 (General—501 beds). Resident or non-resident.

WARD SISTERS

South Western Hospital, Lander Road, Stockwell, S.W.9 (General—278 beds). One for Tonsil Ward—willing to do Theatre work.

Annie McCall Maternity Hospital, Jeffreys Road, S.W.4 (36 beds). For Holiday Relief.

St. Benedict's Hospital, Church Lane, Tooting, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick—312 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Bolingbroke Hospital, Wandsworth Common, S.W.11 (General—135 beds). Required May to September for Holiday Relief.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W.10 (General—501 beds). S.R.N. One for night duty. One for Out-Patient Dept. Both posts resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

South London Hospital for Women and Children, Clapham Common, S.W.4 (261 beds). Including one for Night duty.

Lambeth Hospital, Brook Drive, S.E.11 (General—486 beds).

St. James' Hospital, Ouseley Road, Balham, S.W.12 (General—660 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Jewish Home of Rest, Birchlands Avenue, Wandsworth Common, S.W.12 (23 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Grove Hospital, Tooting Grove, S.W.17 (Fever and T.B.—300 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Bolingbroke Hospital, Wandsworth Common, S.W.11 (General — 135 beds). S.R.N.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W.10 (General—501 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Grove Hospital, Tooting Grove, Tooting, S.W.17 (Fever and T.B.—300 beds). Resident or non-resident.

St. James' Hospital, Ouseley Road, Balham, S.W.12 (General—660 beds). Some with General Training and one with Ophthalmic Training. Resident or non-resident.

St. Benedict's Hospital, Church Lane, Tooting, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick—312 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Battersea General Hospital, Battersea Park, S.W.11 (79 beds).

St. John's Hospital, St. John's Hill, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick—482 beds).

Putney Hospital, Lower Common, S.W.15 (General—106 beds). Required for the Putney Women's T.B. Ward at St. John's Hospital. Day or night duty.

St. Luke's Hospital, Sydney Street, Chelsea, S.W.3 (Chronic Sick—238 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

St. John's Hospital, St. John's Hill, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick — 482 beds).

St. Luke's Hospital, Sydney Street, Chelsea, S.W.3 (Chronic Sick—238 beds). Non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Weir Maternity Hospital, Weir Road, Balham, S.W.12 (63 beds). Including one for Night duty. Resident.

Fulham Maternity Hospital, 5/7 Parsons Green, S.W.6 (30 beds). Part II Midwifery Training School. Facilities for taking Midwife Teacher's Diploma. S.R.N., S.C.M. Theatre experience an advantage. Interested in training Pupil Midwives.

STAFF MIDWIVES

South London Hospital for Women and Children, Clapham Common, S.W.4 (261 beds, inc. 53 Maternity).

Annie McCall Maternity Hospital, Jeffreys Road, S.W.4 (36 beds).

Lambeth Hospital, Brook Drive, S.E.11 (General—486 beds, inc. 74 Maternity).

St. James' Hospital, Ouseley Road, Balham, S.W.12 (General—660 beds, inc. 86 Maternity). Resident or non-resident.

Weir Maternity Hospital, Weir Road, Balham, S.W.12 (63 beds). Some required full-time, resident or non-resident; others part-time, non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

St. James' Hospital, Ouseley Road, Balham, S.W.12 (General—660 beds, inc. 86 Maternity). Resident or non-resident. Pt. I Training. Course commences in May.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W.10 (General—501 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

SURREY

SISTER TUTOR

Royal Hospital, Richmond (General—121 beds). Qualified, in Sole Charge. Required for April. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Epsom District Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom (General—300 beds).

St. Luke's Hospital, Guildford (General—404 beds, inc. 57 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C.M.

Milford Chest Hospital, Milford (348 beds). S.R.N. and T.A.

SISTER IN CHARGE

Epsom District Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom (General—300 beds). For Out-Patients' Dept.

HOME SISTER

Queen's Hospital, Queen's Road, Croydon (Chronic Sick—450 beds). with Housekeeping Cert. To be responsible for small Home and to assist administration. Resident.

HOUSEKEEPING SISTER

East Surrey Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Redhill (General—139 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS

Cuddington Hospital, Banstead (Post-Operative, Fever and T.B.—126 S.R.N., R.F.N.

Frimley and Camberley District Hospital, Frimley (General—39 beds, Maternity). No maternity duty.

Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood Common, Redhill (General—378 To work under Night Superintendent.

East Surrey Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Redhill (General—139 beds). night duty under Night Superintendent.

Wandle Valley Hospital, Mitcham Junction (80 Fever—70 Long-stay In sole charge. General and Fever trained—long-stay and fevers. Ward Sis salary plus £25 and allowance £10 Fever Cert.

St. Peter's Hospital, Chertsey (General—430 beds). S.R.N. working Night Superintendent.

THEATRE SISTER IN CHARGE

The Rowley Bristow Orthopaedic Hospital, Pyrford, Woking (208 beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

Croydon General Hospital, Croydon (200 beds). Good Theatre experi essential. Resident.

Wimbledon Hospital, Thurstan Road, Copse Hill, S.W.20 (General—63 Resident.

St. Peter's Hospital, Chertsey (General—430 beds). S.R.N. for general specialised work. (Salary on 1st or 2nd point of scale).

WARD SISTERS

Queen's Hospital, Queen's Road, Croydon (Chronic Sick—450 beds).

Cuddington Hospital, Banstead (Post-Operative, Fever and T.B.—126 For Post-Operative Ward of 25 beds.

Trimmer's Hospital, Waverley Lane, Farnham (General—31 beds). For

Farnham Hospital, Hale Road, Farnham (General—178 beds).

Cranleigh Village Hospital, Cranleigh (Busy Cottage Hospital—13 Resident.

Molesey Hospital, High Street, West Molesey (General—23 beds). enced. S.R.N. Resident.

Royal Hospital, Richmond (General—121 beds). S.R.N.

Dorking General Hospital, Horsham Road, Dorking (256 beds). Two one for Male T.B. Ward, preferably with T.A. Cert.

Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood Common, Redhill (General—378 Two required for Theatre duties.

Godstone Infectious Diseases Hospital, Bletchingley (40 beds). S.R.N., R.F. Resident or non-resident.

Wandle Valley Hospital, Mitcham Junction (80 Fever—70 Long-stay S.R.N. for Long-stay Ward to be opened shortly.

Englefield Green Hospital, Northcroft Road, Englefield Green (14 beds). Annexe for elderly men). Second-in-Charge (Deputy for Sister-in-Charge). cations to Matron, St. Peter's Hospital, Chertsey.

Milford Chest Hospital, Milford (348 beds). S.R.N. and B.T.A.; or S.R. only. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Norwood and District Hospital, Hermitage Road, S.E.19 (General—38 beds

Waddon Hospital, Purley Way, Croydon (Fever and Tuberculosis Wards beds). R.F.N. and S.R.N. or T.A. For Fever and T.B. Wards. Good transp and recreational facilities provided.

Queen's Hospital, Queen's Road, Croydon (Chronic Sick—450 beds).

Croydon General Hospital, Croydon (200 beds). For Day and Night Resident or non-resident.

Frimley and Camberley District Hospital, Frimley (General—39 beds).

Farnham Hospital, Hale Road, Farnham (General—178 beds).

The Green Lane Hospital, Farnham (Fever—50 beds).

St. Luke's Hospital, Guildford (General—404 beds). S.R.N.

Surbiton General Hospital, Ewell Road, Surbiton (72 beds). S.R.N. One Theatre.

Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood Common, Redhill (General—378 One for Theatre duties. Also one with T.A. Cert.

Dorking General Hospital, Horsham Road, Dorking (256 beds). S.R.N.

Dorking Infectious Diseases Hospital, Logmore Lane, Dorking (27 beds R.F.N.

Caterham and District Hospital, Croydon Road, Caterham (General—53 beds

St. Helier's Hospital, Carshalton (General—832 beds). Some required Chest Unit. Some for Paediatric Dept.

Wilson Hospital, Cranmer Road, Mitcham (General—66 beds). For Day Night duty. Resident or non-resident.

Carshalton Hospital, The Park, Carshalton (General—54 beds).

Wandle Valley Hospital, Mitcham Junction (80 Fever—70 Long-stay beds). S.R.N. or R.F.N.

St. Peter's Hospital, Chertsey (General—430 beds). For Theatre. S.R.N. Excellent experience for those wishing to specialise.

Milford Chest Hospital, Milford (348 beds). S.R.N. and B.T.A.; S.R.N. or B.T.A. only. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

King George V Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Godalming (232 beds). S.R.N. and B.T.A.; S.R.N. or B.T.A. only. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Queen's Hospital, Queen's Road, Croydon (Chronic Sick—450 beds). S.R.N.

Wandle Valley Hospital, Mitcham Junction (80 Fever—70 Long-stay beds). For Long-stay Ward opening shortly. Non-resident.

Milford Chest Hospital, Milford (348 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

King George V Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Godalming (232 beds). S.R.N. and B.T.A.; S.R.N. or B.T.A. only. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

SURREY—Contd.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Croydon General Hospital, London Road, Croydon (General—200 beds). For ay and Night duty. Resident or non-resident.

Purley and District War Memorial Hospital, Brighton Road, Purley (General—beds).

Waddon Hospital, Purley Way, Croydon (Fever and T.B.—179 beds). For ever and T.B. Wards. Good transport and recreational facilities provided.

Queen's Hospital, Queen's Road, Croydon (Chronic Sick—450 beds). Applications taken awaiting enrolment.

Norwood and District Hospital, Hermitage Road, S.E.19 (General—38 beds).

Epsom District Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom (General—300 beds).

Ewell Park Annexe, Ewell Park Way, London Road, Ewell (70 beds—Chronic ale Patients). Applications to Matron, Epsom District Hospital, Dorking Road, psom.

The Green Lane Hospital, Farnham (Fever—50 beds).

Farnham Hospital, Hale Road, Farnham (General—178 beds). Resident or on-resident.

Molesey Hospital, High Street, West Molesey (General—23 beds). Resident non-resident.

Oxted Hospital, Eastlands Way, Oxted (General—40 beds).

East Surrey Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Redhill (General—139 beds).

Dorking General Hospital, Horsham Road, Dorking (256 beds). Including for T.B. Annexe in converted country mansion.

Godstone Infectious Diseases Hospital, Bletchingley (40 beds). Resident or on-resident.

Dorking Infectious Diseases Hospital, Logmore Lane, Dorking (27 beds).

Horley and District Hospital, Brighton Road, Horley (General — 16 beds). on-resident. Apply to the Principal Matron, Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood ommon, Redhill, Surrey.

St. Helier Hospital, Carshalton (General—832 beds).

Cumberland Hospital, Whitford Gardens, Mitcham (T.B.—82 beds). Resident non-resident.

Wilson Hospital, Cranmer Road, Mitcham (General—66 beds). Resident or on-resident.

Cheam Sanatorium, London Road, North Cheam (81 beds).

Wandle Valley Hospital, Mitcham Junction (80 Fever—70 Long-stay beds). Fever Wards.

Wimbledon Hospital, Thurstan Road, Copse Hill, S.W.20 (General—82 beds). esident or non-resident.

Milford Chest Hospital, Milford (348 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. amination.

King George V Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Godalming (232 beds). acilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Queen's Hospital, Queen's Road, Croydon (Chronic Sick—450 beds). Applications taken awaiting enrolment.

St. Helier Hospital, Carshalton (General—832 beds).

Wandle Valley Hospital, Mitcham Junction (80 Fever—70 Long-stay beds). Long-Stay Ward opening shortly.

Milford Chest Hospital, Milford (348 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. amination.

King George V Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Godalming (232 beds). acilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

POST-REGISTRATION TRAINING AND REFRESHER COURSES

Waddon Hospital, Purley Way, Croydon (Fever and Tuberculosis Wards—179 eds). S.R.N. for Fever Training (one year). Good transport and recreational acilities provided.

MIDWIFERY SISTER

East Surrey Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Redhill (General—139 beds, inc. 18 aternity). S.R.N. and S.C.M., or S.C.M. only. For Night duty.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Surbiton General Hospital, Ewell Road, Surbiton (72 beds, inc. 11 Maternity). C.M. (S.R.N. not essential but preferred).

Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood Common, Redhill (General—576 beds, c. 52 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C.M.

Dorking General Hospital, Horsham Road, Dorking (256 beds, including 25 aternity).

Nelson Hospital, Kingston Road, Merton, S.W.20. For Unit of 50 beds.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

St. Luke's Hospital, Guildford (General—404 beds, inc. 57 Maternity). S.R.N. acancies for 1st November, 1952.

St. Helier Hospital, Carshalton (General—832 beds, inc. 105 Maternity). his is a Part I Training School for the C.M.B.

WEST SUSSEX

SECOND SISTER TUTOR

St. Richard's Hospital, Spitalfields Lane, Chichester (General—400 beds). ualified, required at end of March.

SECOND THEATRE SISTER

St. Richard's Hospital, Spitalfields Lane, Chichester (General—400 beds). equired at end of April.

WARD SISTERS

Crawley and District Hospital, Ifield Road, Crawley (General—29 beds). on-resident. One also for Holiday Relief.

St. Richard's Hospital, Spitalfields Lane, Chichester (General—400 beds). ne required for Relief.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bognor War Memorial Hospital, Berated Street, Bognor Regis (General—32 eds).

St. Richard's Hospital, Spitalfields Lane, Chichester (General—400 beds).

Swandean Hospital, Arundel Road, Worthing (80 beds). For T.B. Block ties. Preference will be given to holders of T.A. Cert.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

South London Hospital for Women and Children, Country Branch, "Wood-Hurst," Pease Pottage, Crawley (50 beds).

Swandean Hospital, Arundel Road, Worthing (80 beds). For T.B. Block duties.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Horsham Hospital, Hurst Road, Horsham (General—75 beds, including 18 Maternity). Three required.

HAMPSHIRE

HOME SISTER

Southampton General Hospital, Tremona Road, Southampton (456 beds). Acute General and Midwifery Training School. S.R.N.

NIGHT SISTERS

Southampton General Hospital, Tremona Road, Southampton (456 beds). Acute General and Midwifery Training School. S.R.N.

The Infirmary, Lymington (60 Chronic Sick beds). In Sole Charge. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTER

Southampton General Hospital, Tremona Road, Southampton (456 beds). S.R.N.

MALE CHARGE NURSE

Cowdery Down Hospital, Basingstoke (Chronic Sick—254 beds).

WARD SISTERS

Yateley and District Hospital, Cricket Hill, Yateley, Nr. Camberley (General—15 beds—no Maternity). Theatre experience.

King George's Sanatorium for Sailors, Bramshott Place, Liphook (78 beds). S.R.N. and B.T.A. or B.T.A. only. For Relief duties. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

Lymington Hospital, Lymington (General—107 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., for Female Medical and Surgical Ward.

The Infirmary, Lymington (Chronic Sick—60 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

Southampton General Hospital, Tremona Road, Southampton (456 beds). Acute General and Midwifery Training School. S.R.N.

Romsey Hospital, Mile Hill, Romsey (General—28 beds, inc. 8 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C.M. Two required. Resident.

Southampton Isolation Hospital and Sanatorium, Oakley Road, Southampton (286 beds). S.R.N. for Surgical Ward. Good experience in Thoracic Surgery.

Cowdery Down Hospital, Nr. Basingstoke (Chronic Sick—254 beds). S.R.N.

Basingstoke Hospital, Basingstoke (General—41 beds). S.R.N. Some also required for The Annexe, Kingsclere Road, Basingstoke (Long-stay, Medical and Post-Operative—46 beds). All applications to Matron, Basingstoke Hospital.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Shelley Road, Bournemouth (General—485 beds). S.R.N. For Male Medical Ward.

Alton General Hospital, Alton (118 beds). S.R.N. for Male Geriatric Wards.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Yateley and District Hospital, Cricket Hill, Yateley, Nr. Camberley (General—15 beds—no Maternity).

Fleet and District Hospital, Church Road, Fleet (General—32 beds — no Maternity). Hospital in pleasant country surroundings. Frequent trains to Waterloo.

Farnborough and Cove War Memorial Hospital, Albert Road, Farnborough (General—34 beds).

Eye and Ear Hospital, Grove Road North, Portsmouth (60 beds). General experience.

Infectious Diseases Hospital, Milton Road, Portsmouth (216 beds). Fever, T.B. and Geriatric nursing.

Lymington Hospital, Lymington (General—107 beds). S.R.N. for Wards.

Ashurst Hospital, Nr. Southampton (Chronic Sick—112 beds). (Assistant Nurse Training School). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

Southampton Eye Hospital (32 beds). Annexe of Royal South Hants Hospital, Fanshawe Street, Southampton. One S.R.N. with Ophthalmic Cert. required.

Southampton Isolation Hospital and Sanatorium, Oakley Road, Southampton (286 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N. or B.T.A. Cert. S.R.N. for one year training for B.T.A. Cert. S.R.N. for one year training for Fever Cert. Also S.R.N., experienced in Thoracic Surgery.

Southampton General Hospital, Tremona Road, Southampton (456 beds). S.R.N. Some also for Theatre.

Weyhill Hospital, Nr. Andover (29 beds). S.R.N. (T.A. preferred, not essential), or S.E.A.N. Resident. Hospital and Hostel form part of the rehabilitation and resettlement scheme to be developed by Enham-Alamein.

Basingstoke Hospital, Hackwood Road, Basingstoke (General — 41 beds). S.R.N. Some also required for The Annexe, Kingsclere Road, Basingstoke (Long-stay, Medical and Post-Operative—46 beds). All applications to Matron, Basingstoke Hospital.

Alton General Hospital, Alton (118 beds).

Herbert Sanatorium, Westbourne, Bournemouth (30 beds). S.R.N. with sanatoria experience. For Night duty. Resident.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Southampton Isolation Hospital and Sanatorium, Oakley Road, Southampton (286 beds). B.T.A. Cert. or S.R.N. for one year training for B.T.A. Cert.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Yateley and District Hospital, Cricket Hill, Yateley, Nr. Camberley (General—15 beds—no Maternity).

Fleet and District Hospital, Church Road, Fleet (General—32 beds — no Maternity). Hospital in pleasant country surroundings. Frequent trains to Waterloo.

King George's Sanatorium for Sailors, Bramshott Place, Liphook (78 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

Eye and Ear Hospital, Grove Road North, Portsmouth (60 beds).

Infectious Diseases Hospital, Milton Road, Portsmouth (216 beds). Fever, T.B. and Geriatric Nursing.

St. Christopher's Hospital, Fareham (Chronic Sick—111 beds). Day or Night duty. Resident or non-resident.

Lymington Hospital, Lymington (General—107 beds). For Wards.

Southampton Isolation Hospital and Sanatorium, Oakley Road, Southampton (286 beds). Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

Basingstoke Hospital, Hackwood Road, Basingstoke (General — 41 beds). Some also required for The Annexe, Kingsclere Road, Basingstoke (Long-stay, Medical and Post-Operative—46 beds).

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SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

HAMPSHIRE—Contd.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Continued—

Shrubbery Maternity Home, Basingstoke (13 beds).
Alton General Hospital, Alton (118 beds). Urgently required.
Cowdery Down Hospital, Basingstoke (Chronic Sick—254 beds). Urgently required.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

King George's Sanatorium for Sailors, Bramshott Place, Liphook (78 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.
Southampton Isolation Hospital and Sanatorium, Oakley Road, Southampton (286 beds). Full or part-time. Non-resident.
St. Leonard's Hospital, Nr. Ringwood (Chronic Sick—135 beds).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Shrubbery Maternity Home, Basingstoke (13 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. One for Day duty, one for Night duty.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Farnborough and Cove War Memorial Hospital, Albert Road, Farnborough (General—34 beds, inc. 12 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only.
Southampton General Hospital, Tremona Road, Southampton (456 beds, inc. 57 Maternity). (Acute General and Midwifery Training School). S.R.N., S.C.M.
Royal Victoria Hospital, Shelley Road, Boscombe, Bournemouth (General—485 beds, inc. 36 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C.M.
Alton General Hospital, Alton (118 beds). S.C.M. For modern 15-bedded Unit.

ISLE OF WIGHT

NIGHT SISTER

The Royal National Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Ventnor (249 beds). S.R.N. Facilities for taking T.A. Exam.

WARD SISTER

The Royal National Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Ventnor (249 beds). S.R.N. Facilities for taking T.A. Examination.

STAFF NURSES

Longford (T.B.) Sanatorium, Havenstreet, Ryde (40 beds). Resident or non-resident. Transport available to island towns for resident staff when off duty. Apply Matron, St. Mary's Hospital, Newport.
Newport Infectious Diseases Hospital, Newport (37 beds). Resident or non-resident. Apply Matron, St. Mary's Hospital, Newport.
The Royal National Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, Ventnor (249 beds). S.R.N. Facilities for taking T.A. Examination.

WILTSHIRE

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Salisbury General Hospital, Salisbury (571 beds). S.R.N. Some required E.N.T. Dept. Regular courses of training in E.N.T. Nursing are arranged S.R.N.s and Nurses are prepared for the Midland Institute of Otology Examination. Others are required in the General Theatre and Plastic Theatre.
Harnwood Hospital, Salisbury (T.B.—52 beds). S.R.N., T.A.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Harnwood Hospital, Salisbury (T.B.—52 beds).

DORSET

SISTER or STAFF NURSE

Blandford Hospital, Blandford (General — 25 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. S.R.N. Pleasantly situated country Hospital.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

NIGHT SISTER

Warlingham Park Hospital (For Mental and Nervous Disorders), Warlingham, Surrey (1,020 beds). S.R.N., R.M.N. Must be experienced in modern treatment as applied in mental illness.

WARD SISTERS

Mayday Hospital, Croydon (General—621 beds). R.M.N., preferably S.R.N. for Female Observation Ward of 32 beds, including patients on Order and chronic cases. Resident or non-resident.
Warlingham Park Hospital, Warlingham, Surrey (1,020 beds—Nervous and Mental Disorders). R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.
Park Prewett Hospital, Basingstoke, Hants (1,578 beds). R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

Park Prewett Hospital, Basingstoke, Hants (1,578 beds). R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Mayday Hospital, Croydon (General — 621 beds). R.M.N. for Observation Ward of 32 beds, including patients on order and chronic sick. Resident or non-resident.
Tooting Bec Hospital, S.W.17 (2,363 beds). For aged and infirm persons suffering from nervous and mental disorders. R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.
Banstead Hospital, Sutton, Surrey (2,500 beds).
Park Prewett Hospital, Basingstoke, Hants (1,578 beds). R.M.P.A. required and R.M.N. desirable.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Tooting Bec Hospital, S.W.17 (2,363 beds). R.M.N. or R.M.P.A. For aged and infirm persons suffering from nervous and mental disorders. Non-resident. Applications to Chief Male Nurse.
Banstead Hospital, Sutton, Surrey (2,500 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

St. John's Hospital, St. John's Hill, London, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick—482 beds). For Female Observation Unit.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for **Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses** and **Pupil Midwives** at Training Hospitals throughout the Region. A list of Hospitals which are recognised Training Schools will be sent on application to the Secretary (S.2.) 11a Portland Place, London, W.1.

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TUNBRIDGE WELLS GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
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(250 Beds)
(Plastic Surgery and Jaw Injury Centre)

Applications invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** to the Hospital (General Hospital, 46 beds: Plastic Surgery and Jaw Injury Unit, 154 beds; Post-Operative Annexe, 50 beds). Further extensions contemplated.

Student Nurses from this country and overseas trained in plastic surgery nursing.

There is an Assistant Nurses' Training School serving the Hospital Group.

Salary in accordance with Whitley scales.

Applications from persons not over 40 years of age, stating qualifications and experience and names of three referees, to be sent to the undersigned as soon as possible.

E. A. WAGSTAFF,
Secretary.

Sherwood Park,
Pembury Road, Tunbridge Wells. (2305)

CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

Assistant Matron (S.R.N. or S.R.C.N.) required for Residential Nursery in Wilts, accommodating 30 children ages 0 to 5. Member C. of E.

For further particulars apply, quoting S/55 and this publication, to Secretary, C. of E. Children's Society, Old Town Hall, Kennington Road, S.E.11. (x2220)

QUEEN ELIZABETH SCHOOL OF NURSING BIRMINGHAM
SISTER TUTOR

Applications are invited from qualified **Sister Tutors** to fill a vacancy at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital. The Block training system is in force.

Applications to the Matron, The Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham, 15. (2304)

CRUMPSALL HOSPITAL, MANCHESTER, 8
(General Hospital — 1,225 Beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **Deputy Matron**, which becomes vacant in May, 1952.

Applicants must be in possession of S.R.N. and S.C.M. Certificates, and must have had considerable Hospital nursing administrative experience; should be between the ages of 35 and 45 years.

Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scales and conditions of service, commencing at £615 per annum, rising by £15 per annum to £705, with one further increment of £20 to a maximum of £725 per annum, less £150 per annum for emoluments (board-residence, laundry, etc.).

Subject to National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations, 1950.

Applications, stating age, nationality, and giving details of experience (with dates), also the names and addresses of two referees, to be received by the Matron, Dept. "N.T.," Crumpsall Hospital, Manchester, 8, as soon as possible. (2222)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, STONE, Nr. AYLESBURY

Applications are invited for the post of **Tutor in Sole Charge** (Male or Female) at this Mental Hospital. Whitley Council salary and conditions of service. Candidates should be qualified in accordance with Council's requirements. Cottage available on Hospital estate for married man at reasonable charge. Tenancy on service occupancy basis. Single person—resident or non-resident.

Applications, stating age and details of experience and training, together with two recent testimonials or names and addresses of two referees, to the Physician-Superintendent. (2200)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS
THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL AT LEEDS
HYDE TERRACE, LEEDS, 2
First Period Midwifery Training School associated with the University of Leeds.

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Senior Midwifery Tutor.** Applicants must be S.R.N., S.C.M., and hold the M.T.D.

The salary will be regulated by the Whitley Council recommendations.

Application forms and terms of appointment may be obtained from the Matron. (2167)

DUNDEE ROYAL INFIRMARY

Applications are invited for the post of **Midwife Tutor** (Sole Charge) for Part I and Part II Training School.

Apply with particulars of training and experience to Matron. (2

HULL (A) GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY

Home Sister required. Duties to include deputising for Assistant Matron and Office Officer.

Salary in accordance with National Superannuation.

Apply with full particulars to the Hull Royal Infirmary. (2

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS
THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL AT LEEDS
HYDE TERRACE, LEEDS, 2
First Period Midwifery Training School Teaching Hospital associated with the University of Leeds
(112 Beds)

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Home Sister.**

Applicants must be S.R.N. and S.C.M.

Apply for application forms and further details of the appointment to the (

GROSVENOR SANATORIUM ASHFORD, KENT
(260 Beds)
Registered Training School for S.T.A. Certificate
CLINIC SISTER

Applications are invited for the post of Clinic Sister at above Sanatorium. A new Clinical Block at present under construction will be opened shortly, and the successful candidate will be required to take full charge of this unit. Whitley rates and Superannuation Scheme in operation.

Applications to Matron. (2

WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated) from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

NEWPORT AND EAST MONMOUTHSHIRE H.M.C.

PONTYPOOL AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, PONTYPOOL, MON.
(115 Beds)
(Complete Training School)

Assistant Matron. Applications for this appointment to be sent to the Secretary of the Hospital Management Committee, 16 Cardiff Road, Newport, Mon.

CARDIFF H.M.C.

ROYAL HAMADRYAD HOSPITAL, CARDIFF DOCKS
(66 Beds)

Sister for Genito-Urinary Ward.
S.E. Assistant Nurses (Male and Female).

MERTHYR AND ABERDARE H.M.C.

HARDY ISOLATION AND TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL, MERTHYR TYDFIL
(111 Beds)

Staff Nurses for Infectious Diseases or Tuberculosis Wards.
S.E. Assistant Nurses (Male and Female).

MERTHYR GENERAL HOSPITAL, MERTHYR TYDFIL
(120 Beds)
(Complete Training School)

Administrative and Home Sister. Housekeeping Certificate an advantage.
Assistant Nurses, full-time, resident or non-resident (Female).
Student Nurses. Required for vacancies during 1952. (Age 17½ to 30 years).

PONTSARN CHEST HOSPITAL, Nr. MERTHYR TYDFIL
(39 Beds)

Ward Sister and Staff Nurse (S.R.N.). T.A. Certificate will be an advantage.

MOUNTAIN ASH GENERAL HOSPITAL
(51 Beds)

Theatre Sister. (Previous experience desirable).
Ward Sister. (Theatre experience an advantage).

ABERDARE GENERAL HOSPITAL
(102 Beds)

Two Staff Midwives.

ST. TYDFIL'S HOSPITAL, MERTHYR TYDFIL
(395 Beds)

Temporary Night Sister, with a view to permanent appointment. Applicants should be S.R.N., S.C.M., and have recent Theatre experience. Off duty three nights weekly.
Pupil Assistant Nurses, Male or Female.

MID-GLAMORGAN H.M.C.

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL, NEATH
(412 Beds)

Midwifery Sister (S.R.N., S.C.M.).
This Hospital is classified as a complete Training School for Nurses, including Midwifery training, and has an attractive modern and particularly well-equipped Maternity Unit.

CEFN HIRGOED ISOLATION HOSPITAL
(78 Beds)

Staff Nurse (S.R.N., preferably with Tuberculosis nursing experience).
Nursing Assistant.

MID WALES H.M.C.

TOWYN AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, TOWYN, MER.
(20 Beds)

Midwifery Sister.

CAERNARVON AND ANGLESEY H.M.C.

CAERNARVON AND ANGLESEY GENERAL HOSPITAL, BANGOR
(140 Beds)

Sister in Charge of Venereal Disease Clinic.
Housekeeping Sister.
Sister for Medical Annexe—small Ward of Chronic Sick patients.
Staff Nurses.
Staff Nurse with Ophthalmic experience.
Junior Theatre Sister.

COUNTY HOSPITAL, BANGOR
(140 Beds)

Staff Midwives.
Staff Nurses.

TY NANNEY MATERNITY HOME, PORTMADOC, CAERNS
(5 Beds)

Staff Midwife.

MINFORDD HOSPITAL, BANGOR
(30 Beds)

Sister.

WREXHAM, POWYS AND MAWDDACH H.M.C.

DOLGELLEY AND BARMOUTH DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DOLGELLEY
(16 Beds)

Resident Sister.
Staff Nurse.
State Enrolled Assistant Nurse.
The Hospital has a busy Out-Patients' Department and provides experience in most branches of nursing.

MAELOR GENERAL HOSPITAL, WREXHAM
(Croesnewydd Unit)

Children's Ward Staff Nurses (resident or non-resident).
Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for **student nurses, pupil assistant nurses and pupil midwives** at training hospitals within the Region and a list of Hospitals (including Mental Hospitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) which are recognised Training Schools will be sent on application to the Regional Nursing Officer, Welsh Regional Hospital Board, Temple of Peace and Health, Cathays Park, Cardiff.

(2290)

GROUP 25 BIRMINGHAM (SELLY OAK) HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

LITTLE BROMWICH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9
(748 Beds)

Qualified Sister Tutor required, S.R.N., R.F.N. Group training scheme in a Preliminary Training School for Student Nurses taking Fever training. Further particulars from Matron (1892)

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE ACT, 1946

SHREWSBURY GROUP 15 HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister/Male Tutor** at Shelton Mental Hospital, Shrewsbury, at present non-resident. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council scales, and the post is subject to the provisions of the National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations.
Applications, stating age and experience, should be made to the Medical Superintendent, Shelton Mental Hospital, Shrewsbury, from whom any further information may be obtained.

J. P. MALLETT,
Secretary.

Royal Salop Infirmary, Shrewsbury.
March, 1952. (2097)

STOKE-ON-TRENT HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, MATERNITY HOSPITAL
(60 Beds)

Principal Midwifery Tutor required, embracing duties of Deputy Superintendent Midwife. Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scales, i.e.: £550 x £25—650, less £150 emoluments.
Applications, with full details of previous experience, to Matron at the Hospital. (2054)

LEEDS (GROUP B) HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE, No. 22

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent to the Matron at the appropriate Hospital, unless otherwise stated.

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, YORK ROAD, LEEDS

Sister Tutor required to be in sole charge of Training for R.S.C.N. Candidates must be S.R.N. and R.S.C.N. The appointed applicant will work in co-operation with the Sister Tutor in Sole Charge of R.F.N. Training. Salary, etc., according to scale.
Applications, stating age, qualifications, experience and names of three referees, to S. C. Edwards, Chief Administrative Officer.
Student Nurses accepted for Fever or Sick Children's Training. Good standard of education required, and applicants should be 18 years of age.

GATEFORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. SELBY

Night Sister or Charge Male Nurse for Night duty. Must be S.R.N. and possess T.A. Certificate. Salary scale: £400—£525 p.a.

ARTHINGTON HALL HOSPITAL, Nr. LEEDS

S.E.A.N. (Female) for Night duty. Resident post. Salary according to scale.

THE HOLLIES HOSPITAL, WEETWOOD LANE, LEEDS, 6

S.E.A.N. (Female). Resident. Salary according to scale.

(2267)

GRIMSBY HOSPITALS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

COUNTY INFIRMARY, LOUTH, LINCS
(240 Beds)
HOME SISTER

Applications are invited for the above post, now vacant.
This Infirmary is a modern General Hospital and is approved as a Complete Training School for General Nursing.
Applications, giving names of two referees and full details of age, administrative and nursing experience, etc., should be addressed to the Matron.

(2318)

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, to with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the of the appropriate Hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accord with the appropriate National scales.

COVENTRY AND DISTRICT

SISTERS

George Eliot Hospital, College Street, Nuneaton (General — 393 beds) **Ward Sister** for 35-bed Children's Unit. S.R.C.N. preferred. The ward is new and is the only Paediatric Unit in the district.

STAFF NURSES

Bramcote Hospital, Bramcote, Near Nuneaton (Children—50 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Bramcote Hospital, Bramcote, Near Nuneaton (Children—50 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

Coventry and Warwickshire Hospital, Coventry (General — 346 beds) Part II Training School. Resident or non-resident.

BIRMINGHAM AND DISTRICT

SISTER TUTORS

Dudley Road Infirmary, Western Road, Birmingham, 18 (1,050 Chronic Sick) (Assistant Nurse Training School) Ward Sister's experience in chronic sick and geriatric nursing essential. Resident or non-resident.

The Royal Orthopaedic Hospital, Northfield, Birmingham, 31 (340 beds) Training School for Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate and Preliminary G.N.C. Sister Tutor, preferably with O.N.C. or good experience. Vacancy June.

HOME SISTER

Sorrento Maternity Hospital, Wake Green Road, Moseley, Birmingham, 13 (Part I Training School) **One of two**; duties include relief of Housekeeping Sister.

NIGHT SISTERS

West Heath Sanatorium, Rednal Road, Birmingham, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis —210 beds) Resident or non-resident. Five nights off duty per fortnight.

Ear and Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3 (E.N.T.—76 beds) Five nights weekly.

SISTERS

Yardley Green Hospital, Yardley Green Road, Birmingham, 9 (All forms of T.B. in Adults and Children, inc. Surgical Unit —413 beds) **Theatre Sister**, S.R.N., resident.

Little Bromwich Hospital, Birmingham, 9 (Ophthalmic—30 beds) **Ward Sister**, S.R.N., Ophthalmic Certificate.

Dudley Road Hospital, Birmingham, 18 (General — 906 beds) **Theatre Sisters.** Also **Holiday Sisters** for Medical and Surgical Wards. Usually an opportunity at end of holiday period for a permanent post.

Sorrento Maternity Hospital, Wake Green Road, Birmingham, 13 (Part I Training School) **Two Sisters required for holiday duties.**

STAFF NURSES

Selly Oak Hospital West, Birmingham, 29 (Chronic) S.R.N. for Male Medical and Surgical Ward. (Non-resident).

Hallam Hospital, Hallam Street, West Bromwich (Complete General Training School for Male and Female Nurses—440 beds) For General Wards and Special Departments.

West Heath Sanatorium, Rednal Road, Birmingham, 31 (T.B.—210 beds) **Male or Female,** resident or non-resident. S.R.N. or B.T.A. Cert. Applications considered from ex-T.B. patients. Non-resident.

Little Bromwich Hospital, Birmingham, 9 (Ophthalmic — 30 beds) **Staff Nurse,** S.R.N. (Isolation—688 beds) Staff Nurses for **one year's Post-Graduate Training,** also **Staff Nurse,** R.F.N.

Yardley Green Hospital, Yardley Green Road, Birmingham, 9 (All forms of T.B. in Adults and Children, inc. Surgical Unit —413 beds) S.R.N. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

Ear and Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3 (E.N.T.—76 beds) **Theatre Staff Nurse.**

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

West Heath Sanatorium, Rednal Road, Birmingham, 31 (T.B.—210 beds) Male or Female, resident or non-resident. Applications considered from ex-T.B. patients. Non-resident.

Yardley Green Hospital, Yardley Green Road, Birmingham, 9 (All forms of T.B. in Adults and Children, inc. Surgical Unit —413 beds) Resident or non-resident.

Selly Oak Hospital West, Birmingham, 29 (Chronic) Male and Female. Resident accommodation for female staff only.

Little Bromwich Hospital, Birmingham, 9 (Isolation—688 beds).

Ear and Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3 (E.N.T.—76 beds)

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Heathfield Road Maternity Hospital, 134 Heathfield Road, Handsworth, Birmingham, 19 (50 beds — Prem. Baby Unit) Two required for day or night duty.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Heathfield Road Maternity Hospital, 134 Heathfield Road, Handsworth, Birmingham, 19 (Maternity—50 beds; Premature Baby Unit) **Four required,** for day or night duty.

Selly Oak Hospital (East), Selly Oak, Birmingham, 29 (General with 33 beds for Maternity) Midwifery Training School.

Hallam Hospital, Hallam Street, West Bromwich (Complete General Training School for Male and Female Nurses—440 beds) For modern Maternity Unit. Experience given in all sections of the department.

Sorrento Maternity Hospital, 15 Wake Green Road, Moseley, Birmingham (Part I Training School) Experience given in all departments, also six months' training in the care of premature babies.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Hallam Hospital, Hallam Street, West Bromwich (Part I Midwifery Training School—440 beds) Study Day per week. Vacancies 1st May, 1952, and every three months.

Sorrento Maternity Hospital, 15 Wake Green Road, Moseley, Birmingham, 13 (Part I Training School) Vacancies 1st May, August, November, 1952; 1st February, 1953. Including experience in Premature Baby Unit.

Heathfield Road Maternity Hospital, 134 Heathfield Road, Handsworth, Birmingham, 19. Period II Midwifery Training Schools. Schools commence June, September and December. Course includes instruction in Gas and Air Analgesia; Ante-Natal Clinic; experience at the Prem. Baby Clinic; three months' district training.

Marston Green Maternity Hospital, Berwicks Lane, Marston Green, Nr. Birmingham (Maternity and Gynaecological—140 beds) Complete Midwifery Training School. S.R.N. only being accepted for twelve months' course of training, which includes fourteen days in the School; instructions in Gas and Air Analgesia; three months' district training. Schools commence May, August, November and February. **Vacancies exist for Part II Training.** S.R.N. and a limited number of non-S.R.N. accepted. Schools commence every three months.

Lordswood Maternity Hospital, 44 Lordswood Road, Harborne, Birmingham, 17 (33 beds) Second Period Training School. Coaching by qualified Midwifery Tutor. Lectures and demonstrations on relaxation and preparation for childbirth, and Gas and Air Analgesia.

WOLVERHAMPTON AND DISTRICT

PRINCIPAL SISTER TUTOR

New Cross Hospital, Wolverhampton (636 beds, inc. 54 Maternity) Qualified Sister Tutor preferred but consideration given to an experienced Sister interested in teaching and anxious to gain experience before taking the Sister Tutor's Course.

STAFF NURSES

The Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton (General — 310 beds) Staff Nurses for **Children's Ward,** S.R.N. Also Nurses. R.S.C.N.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

The Royal Hospital (Women's Park Road West, Wolverhampton cological and Obstetric—76 beds) C.M.B. Examination. Vacancies three months. Approved for Gas and Analgesia Course. Coaching by qualified Sister Tutor. Applications to Matron, The Royal Hospital, Road, Wolverhampton.

STOKE-ON-TRENT AND DISTRICT

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

Cheshire Joint Sanatorium, Nr. Market Drayton (T.B.—305 beds) Departmental Theatre Sister. Specialised experience in chest surgery essential.

North Staffs Royal Infirmary, Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent (General — 475 beds) Charge of Ophthalmic Unit. S.R.N. and Ophthalmic Certificate essential.

HOME SISTER

City General Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent (966 beds) New and up-to-date Nurses' Home. Previous experience desirable.

NIGHT SISTERS

Cheshire Joint Sanatorium, Nr. Market Drayton (Tuberculosis—305 beds) S.R.N. Preferably with T.B. nursing experience.

Orthopaedic Hospital, Hartshill (78 beds) S.R.N.

City General Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent (General—964 beds, inc. 60 Maternity) **Permanent** Night Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M., for Maternity Unit.

SISTERS

City General Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent (964 beds, inc. 60 Maternity) **Two Ward Sisters for Acute Children's Ward, S.R.N., S.R.C.N. One in charge of Baby Unit of 20 cots, one in charge of children under 3½ years.**

Bagnall Hospital, Bagnall, Stoke-on-Trent (Child T.B. Contacts — 56 beds) Ward Sister, S.R.N. (T.A. desirable also).

Bucknall Isolation Hospital, Bucknall, Stoke-on-Trent (Isolation — 56 beds) Ward Sister, R.F.N., also **Sister for Cubicle Ward,** R.F.N., S.R.N.

Cheshire Joint Sanatorium, Nr. Market Drayton (Tuberculosis—305 beds) Ward Sisters, S.R.N. To cover Holidays and Relief duties.

Biddulph Grange Orthopaedic Hospital Biddulph, Stoke-on-Trent (Children's Orthopaedic — 104 beds) **Ward Sister,** S.R.N.

Cheshire Joint Sanatorium, Nr. Drayton (Tuberculosis—305 beds) To take one year's course for the T.A. Certificate. Excellent experience modern methods of treatment and acic Surgery nursing.

Orthopaedic Hospital, Hartshill beds) S.R.N.

North Staffs Royal Infirmary, hill, Stoke-on-Trent (General—475 Two S.R.N.s required for Private

Bagnall Hospital, Bagnall (Child Contacts—56 beds) S.R.N.

Longton Hospital, Longton (General 55 beds) Female, S.R.N. Resident non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

City General Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent (General—966 beds) For General Wards and Theatre.

Bucknall Isolation Hospital, Bucknall (202 beds) **Two** required, S.R.N. or R.F.N.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Bucknall Isolation Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent (Isolation — 202 Female. Day or Night duty. be non-resident.

Cheshire Joint Sanatorium, Nr. Drayton (Tuberculosis — 305 beds) male.

Longton Hospital, Longton, Trent (General—55 beds) Female.

Leek Moorlands Hospital, Leek, (Chronic and General—132 beds).

Biddulph Grange Orthopaedic Biddulph, Stoke-on-Trent (Children's Orthopaedic — 104 beds) Female, orthopaedic experience.

NURSING ASSISTANTS

City General Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent (General—966 beds) Male or Female, Mental Block.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Leek Moorlands Hospital, Leek, (Maternity Unit—10 beds) **Sister or Midwife,** S.R.N., S.C.M.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Fanny Deakin Maternity Home, terton (Maternity — 16 beds) S.R.N., S.C.M.

City General Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent (General—966 beds, inc. 60 Maternity) S.R.N., S.C.M., for Maternity Unit.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Limes Maternity Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent (44 beds) Part II C.M.B. Training. Gas and Air Analgesia training available.

HEREFORDSHIRE

SISTER

Ledbury Cottage Hospital, Ledbury (General—12 beds) **Ward Sister.**

STAFF NURSES

Ross Cottage Hospital, Ross-on-Wye (General—15 beds).

County Hospital, Hereford (General—333 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Ross Cottage Hospital, Ross-on-Wye (General—15 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

County Hospital, Hereford (General—333 beds).

SHROPSHIRE

SISTERS

The Robert Jones and Agnes Orthopaedic Hospital, Oswestry beds) **Ward Sister.** Orthopaedic Certificate preferred.

STAFF NURSES

Copthorne Hospital, Mytton Oak Shrewsbury (Associated with Royal Infirmary for Student Nurse Training) (Acute General—168 beds) **Staff** S.R.N., for **Theatre.** Good experience General Surgery, Gynaecology and E.N.T.

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

WORCESTERSHIRE

SISTER TUTOR

Worcester Royal Infirmary, Castle Street, Worcester (General — 300 beds) Qualified Assistant Tutor.

NIGHT SISTERS

Romsley Hill Sanatorium, Halesowen, Nr. Birmingham (Pulmonary T.B.—120 beds) For Female block of 66 beds, 24 for patients suffering from Diabetes and Tuberculosis. Resident or non-resident.

Hill Top Hospital, Bromsgrove (76 beds—Regional Thoracic Unit) Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

Malvern General Hospital, Malvern (22 beds) **Sister for Theatre and Casualty Departments.**

Smallwood Hospital, Redditch (Acute General—40 beds) **Theatre Sister**, resident; also **Ward Sister** and **Holiday Relief Sister.** Busy Hospital, eight Consultant Clinics. Extensions in progress.

Romsley Hill Sanatorium, Near Halesowen (Pulmonary T.B.—120 beds) **Relief Ward Sister.**

Knightwick Sanatorium, Knightwick, Nr. Worcester (Tuberculosis — 92 beds) **Ward Sister,** Female Wards.

Newtown Isolation Hospital, Newtown (I.D. and T.B.—119 beds) **Sister** for T.B. Wards.

All Saints' Hospital, Bromsgrove (Mainly General—468 beds) **Ward Sisters,** one for Medical Ward and one for Geriatric Ward.

Kidderminster and District Hospital, Kidderminster (General—117 beds) **Out-Patient Sister,** preferably with Orthopaedic experience; busy department. Also **Ward Sister** for relief duties; permanent post.

STAFF NURSES

All Saints' Hospital, Bromsgrove (Mainly Chronic—468 beds) **One required for Night duty,** with good experience.

WORCESTERSHIRE—Contd.

STAFF NURSES —Continued

Romsley Hill Sanatorium, Nr. Halesowen (Pulmonary T.B.—120 beds) S.R.N or B.T.A. Certificate. Male or Female, resident or non-resident.

Kidderminster and District Hospital, Kidderminster (General—117 beds) **Two** required for **Theatre,** willing to undertake night duty on rota basis. Also **Three Staff** Nurses for General Wards.

Worcester Royal Infirmary, Castle Street, Worcester (General — 300 beds) **For Modern Paediatric Unit.** Preference given S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Also **Staff Nurse** for **Orthopaedic Unit.**

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Avonside Hospital, Evesham (Mainly Chronic—260 beds).

Malvern General Hospital, Malvern (22 beds).

Newtown Isolation Hospital, Newtown (I.D. and T.B.—119 beds).

Romsley Hill Sanatorium, Nr. Halesowen (Pulmonary T.B.—120 beds) **Male** or Female, resident or non-resident.

All Saints' Hospital, Bromsgrove (General—291 beds, inc. 59 Maternity; 177 Chronic Sick) Male and Female.

Smallwood Hospital, Redditch (Acute General—40 beds) Two required, resident or non-resident. Busy Hospital, with eight Consultant Clinics. Extensions in progress.

STAFF MIDWIVES

All Saints' Hospital, Bromsgrove (General—291 beds, inc. 59 Maternity; 177 Chronic Sick—Unit includes lying-in and Ante-Natal. Premature babies cubicles.

Worcester Royal Infirmary, Castle Street, Worcester (General—300 beds) For night duty in abnormal **Maternity** Ward.

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NITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS THE BIRMINGHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL VEDAY STREET, BIRMINGHAM, 4

plications are invited for the vacancy inistrative Sister. Duties include exce in Matron's office.

l particulars of training and experience forwarded to Matron. (2124)

HUDDERSFIELD HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE DEANHOUSE HOSPITAL ONGSBRIDGE, Nr. HUDDERSFIELD

inistrative **Sister** (resident) required he above Hospital. S.R.N. essential. keeping Certificate an advantage. Whit- Council salary scales and conditions.

plications, with names of two referees, forwarded to the Matron at the Hos- within fourteen days of the appearance is advertisement. (2183)

HEATH HOSPITAL AND COUNTY DUBLIN INFIRMARY

erienced **Home Sister** required. Salary: 15s. per annum.

ply, giving full particulars and two for reference, to Matron.

P. D. MURRAY,
Secretary.
(2228)

PROSPECT PARK HOSPITAL TILEHURST ROAD, READING (Gen. Med., I.D. and T.B.)

inistrative **Sister** required.

ply Chief Administrative Officer, 3 n Road, Reading. (2251)

WHITELEY VILLAGE HOSPITAL WALTON-ON-THAMES, SURREY

er required for Administrative and Ward Salary and conditions of service in dance with Whitley Council recommenda- Special amenity allowance.

ply Matron. (2281)

NIGERIA UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL, IBADAN

cancies exist for **Nursing Sisters,** S.R.N., in the University Hospital, Ibadan. idates may be considered up to 40 years and should have had at least three years rtificate experience. Salary, including ation pay, in range £570 x £15—£880 In addition, temporary cost of living nce of 10 per cent of basic salary. non-pensionable, gratuity of £25 per , payable on completion of contract. allowance of £60 on first appointment. t minimum of three tours, each tour months, then two months' leave. Free and return passages by air. Fur- quarters provided at rent deduction g at £30 p.a.

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Professional Protest

WE publish below an announcement concerning a letter sent to the Durham County Council by the Joint Committee of the Professions, protesting against the Council's 'closed shop policy' which requires its employees to be members of a trade union or professional organisation. The Royal College of Nursing, with the five other professional organisations which form the Joint Emergency Committee, while supporting the right and freedom of every individual to join what organisation he pleases, deplore and will resist any attempt to enforce compulsory membership whether by direct or indirect means.

The present situation has arisen as a result of the resolution passed by the Durham County Council in November, 1950, requiring all its employees to be members of a trade union or professional organisation. The nurses employed by the County Council subsequently received a letter from the Council asking them to furnish evidence of their membership of such an organisation. The College advised its members to refuse to furnish such evidence, as they considered such a demand was an encroachment on the freedom of the individual citizens of this country. No further action has been taken by the County Council with regard to nurses, but readers will have seen in the daily press reports of the controversy between the Council and other professional staff employed.

The recent step taken by the Durham County Council is the regulation whereby an application from an employee for extended sickness benefit cannot be presented directly by the sick person but will only be considered if submitted through his union or organisation.

None would deny that sick leave benefits, together with other improvements in conditions of service, have been obtained by the work of the unions and professional organisations. National agreements have, however, left certain matters to the discretion of the employing authorities and extension of sick leave benefit is one example of this as it is likely to depend on a number of personal and local factors. It is in times of illness, as every nurse knows, that hardship and anxiety can make all the difference between recovery or succumbing to prolonged illness. Should the man, who, for any reason of conscience or individual opinion, does not join a union, or who, as a gesture against compulsory interference by employers in his personal affairs, refuses to submit evidence of his membership, now be penalised at the most vulnerable time? Should the professions stand by and watch increasing encroachments on the liberty of the individual?

Statement by the Joint Emergency Committee of the Professions.

"A letter has been sent to the Durham County Council requesting the Council to give an undertaking that its professional employees shall not be subjected to the policy of compulsory membership (the 'closed shop') 'in whatever manner, direct or indirect, it may be applied'.

The Joint Emergency Committee 'reluctantly finds it necessary to impose some time-limit upon further exchanges in this protracted dispute, which has already lasted more than a year'. If no satisfactory undertaking has been received by April 30th, the Joint Emergency Committee 'will be constrained to take further action to protect an essential principle of professional freedom'.

The Committee will be glad to send a deputation to the Council 'if the County Council should consider that it would serve any useful purpose'.

The Joint Emergency Committee of the Professions consists of representatives of the following organisations; the British Dental Association, the British Medical Association, the Engineers' Guild, the National Union of Teachers, the Royal College of Midwives, and the Royal College of Nursing.

The number of professional workers represented by the Joint Emergency Committee is approximately 330,000.

Copies of the letter have been sent to the Ministers of Education, Health, Housing and Local Government, and Transport."

A Spring contrast. Trees break into bud above the soil which is yet to quicken.

Topical Notes

The Abiding Pattern

SIR CYRIL NORWOOD, M.A., Chairman of the Advisory Board on Nursing Education, spoke on the wisdom and courage shown in the choice of *The Abiding Pattern* as the title for the week's refresher course for nurse administrators and sister tutors at the Royal College of Nursing, when he took the chair at the inaugural lecture. The nursing profession would lose more than half its power for good if it ceased to honour the spiritual values which he felt lay behind the abiding pattern. These values were the only ones that increased by being shared. Sir Cyril introduced Dr. A. B. C. Cobban, Ph.D., Reader in French History, University College, who, in a thoughtful study, outlined the importance of the individual within a bureaucracy. The medical and nursing professions, through their concern with the individual, were safeguarded from one of the worst vices of modern civilisation—thinking in terms of the masses and forgetting the isolated individual, each with his own standpoint, who formed those masses. The tremendous growth of the State during the past 150 years meant that regulations were needed to make things easier, not more difficult, as might be done by people seeking to exert petty authority.

Against Tyranny

THE SECRET OF DEMOCRACY in this country said Dr. Cobban, in his inaugural address, was that the public service element was expected, for example, in our police force, not the repressive function. We approached more nearly to the Athenian idea of democracy—governing and being governed in turn. The bureaucrat on leaving his office became just one of the crowd on joining the bus queue. The important decision was where to draw the line between the extremes of 'everything for the State' or 'everything for the individual.' Each decision was significant—a moral issue. There must always be the right of the individual to protest and the right of peaceful revolution, or the result was tyranny.

Social Research and Nursing

MISS MARY FARNWORTH, B.Sc., S.R.N., S.C.M., Diploma in Nursing, University of London, is one of the few nurse research workers in this country. She has now completed her three years' study of the nursing recruitment situation as a problem of social psychology. The research grant for this study was made by the Medical Research Council and the work was done as post-graduate research under Professor Harding of the Department of Psychology, Bedford College, University of London. Miss Farnworth took her general nursing and midwifery training at the University College Hospital and later, obtaining the University of London diploma, was appointed a sister tutor at her training school. She is the author of *Bandaging Illustrated*. Having to give up practical nursing for health reasons, Miss Farnworth obtained an honours degree in psychology and since the introduction of psychology into the syllabus of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales she has undertaken a number of lecture courses for nurses. As the factual information in her research is of importance to the nursing profession we hope to publish the main findings as extracts from the analysis, while the full manuscript will be of interest and significance to other students and research workers. We understand that it may later be available at the Royal College of Nursing library.

Lecturing in Yugoslavia

MISS M. G. LAWSON, M.A., M.B., Ch.B., S.R.N., Diploma in Nursing, University of London, Deputy Chief Nursing Officer, Ministry of Health, left London on Saturday for Yugoslavia to carry out a three weeks' British Council lecture tour at the request of the Yugoslav Ministry of Health. She will lecture in Zagreb, Ljubljana and Belgrade on the education and training of nurses. The invitation is the outcome of a visit to the United Kingdon last year by delegates from the Yugoslav Ministry of Health under the World Health Organisation Fellowship scheme. Miss Lawson has previously carried out successful lecture tours for the British Council in Italy and Malta. She has recently spent three months in the United States and Canada studying certain aspects of nurse training and nursing school administration through a Rockefeller travel grant and we hope to publish her account of this in a future issue.

At the Westminster—

CAPTAIN PETER CHURCHILL, B.A., D.S.O., Croix de Guerre, and Mrs. Odette Churchill, G.C., M.B.E., received a great welcome when they met the student nurses and others at a crowded inaugural meeting arranged by the Westminster Hospital unit of the Student Nurses' Association. Captain Churchill held the audience enthralled by his interesting and humorous talk on his work with the French Resistance Movement—so that the nurses on night duty were loath to leave. Mrs. Odette Churchill thanked the nurses and the doctors for all the kindness she had been shown during her many illnesses on her return to this country. Nurses can be

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Left: *Miss Mary Farnworth, B.Sc., S.R.N., S.C.M., who has just completed three years' research into the social prestige of nursing. See above.*

Right: *Miss Mona E. Grey, Secretary of the Northern Ireland Committee of the Royal College of Nursing, with her M.B.E., after the investiture at Buckingham Palace.*

proud that these two, who, at great personal sacrifice, gave such great service during the war, should show such a live and encouraging interest in their profession. Miss E. A. Walsh, assistant secretary of the Student Nurses' Association, and Miss L. Young, the matron, were present. The student nurses' unit was first formed in 1946 but had been allowed to lapse. One of its aims, to become more knowledgeable about the work of other citizens, received a great impetus from this invigorating meeting.

—and at St. Andrews

THE CONFERENCE at St. Andrews University for Scottish student nurses and pre-nursing students takes *The Nurses' Place in the Community* for its theme this year. As always the programme offers many interesting lectures and group discussions and the weekend promises to be as enjoyable as in previous years. Distinguished speakers include Dr. Richard Scott, M.D., D.P.H.; Miss G. Padfield, who speaks on *The Nurse from the Patient's Point of View*; Miss M. Macnaughton, matron Stracathro Hospital, Brechin; Miss E. I. O. Adamson, matron, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh, and Miss M. D. Stewart, Secretary, Scottish Board, The Royal College of Nursing. The service on Sunday in the University Chapel will be conducted by the Reverend J. G. Thornton. The Conference, which is organised by the Royal College of Nursing, assisted by the Scottish Advisory Committee of the Nuffield Provincial Hospitals Trust, is a most popular annual event for student nurses over the Border.

Children Fly to Denmark

THE FIRST PARTY of 25 British children with tuberculosis who are to benefit by treatment in a Danish sanatorium left Northolt this week. Through the generosity of the Anglo-

The Countess Mountbatten of Burma shakes hands with a member of the Nursing Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade during an inspection in Hong Kong. The Countess is touring the Far East as Chairman of the St. John and Red Cross Service Hospitals Welfare Committee and Superintendent-in-Chief of the St. John Ambulance Brigade.

Danish Society, which has set up a special Fund under the title of the Anglo-Danish Society Christmas Appeal, British children suffering from tuberculosis will be sent to the sanatorium at Vordingborg for treatment for 6 to 12 months. The National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis has undertaken to select suitable children between the ages of 8 and 15 from hospitals and homes in Great Britain. Though the scheme is a private one, from its inauguration it has had the approval of the Ministry of Health, and chest physicians have been asked to recommend suitable children. The scheme was started in the Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board area, and it was later found possible to include a few children from the Birmingham and Oxford

After the inaugural meeting of the Westminster Hospital Unit of the Student Nurses' Association. Centre, Captain Churchill, Mrs. Odette Churchill, and Miss E. A. Walsh, and, second from left, Miss L. Young.

Regions. The Medical Committee under the chairmanship of Dr. Andrew Morland have tried, in selecting the children, to make the Danish offer available to those, who, because of the extent of their disease or because of difficulties in their treatment at home, are most likely to benefit by a stay at Vordingborg. Medical indications include pleural effusion, severe tuberculous disease of hilar or abdominal glands, children needing lung operations, those with tuberculous bone or joint lesions which are secondary to respiratory disease and those with diabetes as a complication. The British Red Cross Society is co-operating in arrangements for travel, escort and welfare, and Miss Helen Christie, S.R.N., of the Chest Clinic, University College Hospital, London, is flying with the children on their journey by chartered plane. Denmark has the lowest mortality rate from tuberculosis in the world, the present rate being 14 per 100,000. The equivalent figure in England and Wales is about 50 per 100,000. Among other advantages, the scheme will be free hospital beds in this country. Her Highness Princess Georg of Denmark, Chairman of the Appeal Committee, was at Northolt to bid farewell to the party of children, the first of many it is hoped.

Nurse-Historian

WE REGRET TO LEARN from America of the death of Miss Minnie Goodnow of Brookline, Massachusetts, a pioneer in the field of nursing education and the author of *Nursing History*. Miss Goodnow died in Boston on February 9, following a brief illness. Miss Goodnow graduated from a school of nursing in Denver and later held executive positions in various hospitals. She served in France during World War I with the Harvard Unit and others. Miss Goodnow is known in this country, as well as in America, as the author of several textbooks for nurses. Her best known books over here are *Nursing History* and *Nursing History in Brief*.

New Drugs for Tuberculosis

NEWS COMES FROM THE UNITED STATES of new drugs for the cure of tuberculosis. They are three derivatives of nicotinamide, one of the constituents of the Vitamin B Complex. They have been tried out at the Seaview Hospital on Staten Island. A first announcement was made at press conferences in New York at the end of last month. 190 cases of tuberculosis have been treated, including tuberculous meningitis and tuberculous lesions of throat, intestines and bones. Temperatures dropped to normal in two to three weeks, appetites became 'ravenous' and gains in weight were phenomenal. This seems a very important announcement. It is to be hoped that further investigation and experience may justify its optimism. In the meantime it would be wise to remember past disappointments.

THE EARLY DIAGNOSIS OF CANCER

by RONALD W. RAVEN, O.B.E., F.R.C.S.

Surgeon, Westminster (Gordon) Hospital; Surgeon, The Royal Cancer Hospital

THE control of cancer is one of the most important problems which faces the medical profession at present on account of the heavy annual death-rate from the disease and the amount of suffering and anxiety it produces. There are three main aspects to be dealt with; namely, research into the cause or causes; consideration of its prevention; and early diagnosis and treatment. The object of this paper is to consider certain features in connection with the early diagnosis.

It must be realised that the best hope of cure for a patient with this disease is the institution of effective treatment during the earliest stage of its development. There are numerous patients living many years without any recurrence because of early intervention. Studies of the survival rates of the disease in various organs in different stages of the disease demonstrate the favourable outlook when the diagnosis is made early. It is felt that if people realised that cancer can be cured if taken in time, many more patients would seek the advice of their doctors sooner than they do today.

Education of the Public

This subject is being carefully considered in this country at the present time and several schemes are in operation in different parts. People are often urged to consult a doctor directly symptoms are noticed which may mean cancer and therefore it is logical that they should be aware of these danger signals. Some of them do not impress the layman that they are serious at all. It is felt that the brighter side of the picture should be presented and the pessimism which has so often surrounded this subject dispelled. This is justified by the knowledge of the numbers of people who are alive and well today as a result of well-planned and executed treatment. Included are some who even had advanced disease but are alive without recurrence 10 years and more after treatment.

Educational programmes have been of great value in the treatment of other diseases, for example tuberculosis, and if the subject is presented with care, the same benefits will be achieved with cancer. Some have spoken of the possibility of engendering cancer-phobia in the public, causing them to seek medical examinations unnecessarily frequently. There are always certain persons in any community who will have a phobia whatever the circumstances and there is also evidence where cancer education has been carried out that this danger is certainly not a real one.

The Nurse and the Health Visitor

In the careful presentation of certain facts regarding the disease it is felt that the nurse and the health visitor have a valuable part to play. They are trained and know how to use the right approach in matters concerning health. Further, they have the entry into so many homes and deal with a multitude of matters about the health of families. People may ask them for certain information about cancer or about symptoms which may be worrying them. A number of persons sometimes think they have cancer on account of a deviation from the normal in their health and their minds can be put at rest by a careful examination and treatment. If information is given carefully to these groups a great deal of good will be done. A suitable leaflet can also be distributed on certain occasions which will prove helpful.

The Chelsea Cancer Education Committee have devised and issued a most helpful leaflet. The principles which guided the committee in preparing it were as follows: they felt an optimistic note should be sounded; the symptoms which might mean cancer in various parts of the body should be stated in simple language; emphasis should be placed on the necessity for early diagnosis and the favourable chances of cure when early treatment is given.

The leaflet has two pages and is entitled, 'Take CANCER in time because cancer IS curable'. On the first page is the following: 'Some important facts about CANCER' and the article goes on as follows: 'Cancer in many parts of the body can be cured when it is treated in the early stages of development. The treatment given may be surgical, by X-rays or radium, or by a combination of these methods. *You must recognise early symptoms which may be caused by cancer so that curative treatment can be given at once.* Therefore consult your doctor immediately regarding any of the symptoms on the opposite page, and so avoid unnecessary worry. This leaflet is designed to help you to understand the present position regarding cancer, and the benefits to be derived from modern treatment.'

On the second page eleven symptoms are listed as follows: 'Consult your doctor immediately for any of these conditions: a lump in the breast; discharge from the nipple; lump in any other part of the body; abnormal bleeding or offensive discharge from the vagina; blood in the stools or urine; any irregularity in the action of the bowels; persistent indigestion with lack of appetite; persistent sore, especially in the mouth; persistent dry cough; persistent hoarseness, and any abnormality in swallowing.'

Significant Symptoms and Signs

A lump in the breast: it is essential to urge that every woman of any age who discovers a lump in her breast should seek advice at once. Usually a lump is found accidentally, often when bathing, and it is surprising to realise the number of women who postpone a medical examination until further developments have occurred. It is a good working rule to suppose that a lump in the breast is a carcinoma until it has been proved on microscopic examination not to be so. Another feature of carcinoma of the breast is that the lump is usually painless.

A discharge from the nipple: this may be of several varieties. Occasionally a small amount of milk is excreted from the breast for some time after lactation should normally cease and it is often bilateral. A purulent discharge occurs when there is inflammation in the sub-areolar tissues close to the large ducts. When there is proliferation of the epithelium of the breast a thin discharge may be present which varies in colour, yellow, brown or red. In some patients actual blood is found and in the majority it is caused by a papilloma in one of the ducts but it may be due to a carcinoma.

A lump in any other part of the body: many varieties of lumps occur in other parts of the body. These may be either benign or malignant. The latter variety increase in size relatively rapidly, become attached to surrounding structures and may become ulcerated. Whenever there is any doubt regarding the nature of a lump it should be carefully removed and examined histologically.

Abnormal bleeding or offensive discharge from the vagina: the commonest symptom manifested by cancer of the genital tract is irregular bleeding from the vagina. However slight this may be a full examination must be made. The commonest situation for the disease is the cervix uteri and the bleeding is often noticed after coitus. Another symptom is a watery discharge from the vagina. Irregular bleeding is usually the first symptom in carcinoma of the body of the uterus, and in these patients a purulent discharge may

develop later. This variety of the disease is more common in women who have not had any children.

Blood in the stools or urine: bleeding from the anus is a common symptom of haemorrhoids but it must never be assumed that this is so until the presence of a carcinoma in the rectum and pelvic colon has been excluded. Thus all patients who have this symptom must undergo sigmoidoscopy. Blood in the urine demands a complete urinary investigation including cystoscopy to determine whether it is due to malignant disease of the urinary organs.

Irregular bowel action: this is an important early symptom of carcinoma of the colon or rectum and must be investigated at once. The timing of defaecation may alter or the patient notices various degrees of constipation. On the contrary, in some the bowels become looser than normal.

Persistent indigestion with lack of appetite: this may be caused by a number of conditions but carcinoma of the stomach must be considered. This disease is often very insidious in onset and the patient may not consult his doctor until it has become well established. Thus careful investigations must be carried out, especially in patients over the age of 40. These include radiological examination of the gastro-intestinal tract, gastroscopy, examination of the stools for occult blood and a fractional test meal.

A persistent sore, especially in the mouth: an ulcer occurring in the lip, tongue, floor of the mouth and elsewhere may be a carcinoma and a biopsy should be done to confirm the diagnosis. In some patients the features of a malignant ulcer may not be obvious and conservative treatment is given. If the ulcer does not heal in three weeks a biopsy must be carried out in order to determine its true nature.

A persistent dry cough: any patient who develops this symptom must have a careful radiological examination made of the chest. When any doubtful shadow is seen a bronchoscopy is done and a biopsy made of any suspicious area in the bronchus. Carcinoma of the lung frequently causes this symptom in the earlier phases of its development.

Persistent hoarseness: tumours of the larynx frequently cause voice hoarseness; indirect and direct laryngoscopy must be performed and a biopsy done if any abnormality is seen.

Abnormality in swallowing: the early symptoms of carcinoma of the pharynx and oesophagus are indefinite and the patient may have difficulty in describing them with accuracy. A sensation of a foreign body is often present with a constant desire to clear the throat. There may be a feeling of nervousness about starting to swallow or the sensation of constriction around the neck. Food may actually stick in the throat on one occasion but no further trouble occurs for some time. Later dysphagia develops.

Conclusion

The importance of early diagnosis of cancer is stressed so that treatment can be instituted as soon as possible. By this means more patients will be permanently helped. Certain indications have been given of how important facts in connection with the education of the public in cancer can be presented. The significance of early symptoms and signs have been discussed.

Industrial Nursing and its International Aspects*

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IN dealing with the subject *Industrial Nursing and its International Aspects*, I shall begin by considering industrial nursing in Great Britain.

The object of industrial nursing, as I understand it, is to make readily available to the worker, at his place of work, the benefits of the knowledge, skill and experience the nurse has acquired during her nursing training and subsequently. These benefits have to be specially adapted to meet individual requirements and their effective application will lessen suffering, hasten recovery, and restore the worker's full working capacity with the least possible delay. This is to the benefit of himself, his family, his firm and the community.

The aims of industrial nursing are to create an atmosphere of confidence, to get over to all concerned the maxim 'that it is better to prevent than to cure', to stimulate an interest in healthy living and to advise on how to achieve it. The nurse also seeks to co-operate with other members of the factory team concerned with the well-being of the factory personnel and to co-operate with members of other services concerned with the well-being of the community. Industrial nurses aim at keeping abreast with modern developments in knowledge and technique which may be of benefit to those whom they serve.

Keeping Up to Date

Industrial nursing is but one aspect of the nursing services of the country. It is in line with curative nursing and with nursing in the preventive fields. The standard of industrial nursing reflects the standard of nursing in general. The industrial nurse must be up to date with appropriate knowledge and techniques of the curative field and she must be abreast with advances in the field of social medicine. The closest liaison with the curative and preventive fields of nursing is therefore essential.

By the application of her knowledge and skill the industrial nurse discriminates between the potentially serious and the trivial; she makes decisions and takes action accordingly, carrying full responsibility for her decisions and actions. Almost with the quality of radar, the industrial nurse detects signs and symptoms of unrecognised trouble, probably unrelated to the trivial reason for the visit to the factory health department. In such cases, because of the workers' confidence in the nurse and by her powers of persuasion, medical advice is sought, leading, more often than not, to valuable results for the worker, his family and for the community.

Selection

Now we must consider the selection and training of persons for industrial nursing and in this respect we are limited to persons selected for nursing. It is apparent that unless those selected have certain qualities they will be incapable of rendering the services to industry and to the worker which have been outlined. If they are not intelligent they will not develop the necessary powers of observation, neither will they be capable of absorbing the necessary knowledge either during their training or subsequently. Even today, they must have the necessary physical capacity to stand up to what must always be a strenuous life. They must have the necessary qualities of character, honesty, kindliness, sympathy, interest in and care for people, social conscience, care for detail, and initiative. There is a greater need for intelligence and personal qualities than for purely scholastic attainments, but where you have a combination of all these you should have the ideal. It has to be remembered, however, that until recently higher education was the privilege of the few, yet in spite of this British nursing won a world reputation second to none. Along with

* *Abstract of a lecture given at a refresher course for sisters-in-charge in industrial medical departments.*

her general nursing training the nurse should be assisted to equip herself as a professional woman.

Specialised Training

Within the limits of this paper it is only possible to outline in general terms the specialised preparation of the nurse for industry. The nurse must be orientated to industry, and any deficiency in her hospital training or experience in casualty, ophthalmic or skin departments must be rectified, as failure in these means failure altogether in industry. The nurse must be taught principles which can be applied to any industrial set-up and dogma must be avoided. She should be taught how to teach—to lead, but not drive; how to become integrated into the factory team of specialists; how to bend but not to descend, and how to find information. An introduction to appropriate legislation is necessary and she should be given a picture of the socio-economic background of the worker and his family. She should gain a knowledge of the social services and she should understand something of the development of industry, its effect on the population, and the place of trade unionism in national life.

Manpower Potential

The manpower of the nation is limited and with the average age of the population increasing the position is not likely to improve. This means that the manpower available to the whole field of nursing is, and will be, limited.

It is not within the province of this paper to go into the chaotic state of the nursing position in this country at present, neither can I go into my reasons for doubting that there is, in fact, an overall shortage of nurses, taking into account the misuse and wastage of available nursing staff. So long as student nurses are recruited for the primary purpose of staffing hospitals which do not intend to absorb them after their training, or which do not offer reasonable prospects for advancement, other avenues of opportunity must be open to them if nurse training is not to become a dead end. Industrial nursing is one of the avenues which offers the nurse satisfying work, with scope for initiative and for giving expression to her personality. When the functions of the nurse are defined, and when the nurse requirements of all health services are accurately estimated, these must be considered in relation to the nurse power potential. It will then be necessary to see how the health needs of the nation can be met. It is essential that nurse power should be used to its fullest capacity—freed from the trammels of outdated customs, but maintaining the high traditions of the profession.

How does industrial nursing in Great Britain compare with industrial nursing in other countries? It appears that the service and its problems are similar; there is the same difficulty in convincing managements of the scope for industrial nursing and of the necessity of its functions, and the same difficulties between personalities seem to arise. It may well be that nurses require a greater understanding of psychology, especially as applied to human relationships.

International Progress

Industrial nursing has been developing throughout the world since the latter part of the nineteenth century and, according to records so far available, Britain was first in the field. It was not, however, until 1948 that industrial nursing became internationally focused when in September of that year industrial nurses were, for the first time, invited to participate in the proceedings of the Congress of the *Commission Permanente Internationale pour la Medicine du Travail*. Industrial nurses from Canada, the United States, Finland, Sweden, Belgium and Great Britain attended the Congress and, with the exception of Finland, papers were read by nurses from all these countries. The opportunity was taken to create something permanent from that gathering and an International Industrial Nurses Committee was formed from nurses present as representatives of their countries, and not as representatives of nurses' organisations. This committee applied for recognition by the *Commission Permanente Internationale pour la Medicine du Travail* and an assurance was sought that industrial nurses would be invited to participate in future congresses. The Commission paid a warm tribute to the contribution industrial nurses had made to the Congress, an assurance was given that industrial nurses would be invited to participate in future congresses and that contact would be maintained with the International Industrial Nurses Committee.

A further Congress was held in Lisbon in 1951, following which, as Honorary Secretary of the International Industrial Nurses Committee, I was informed by Professor Carozzi, General Secretary of the Commission, that the International Industrial Nurses Committee has been recognised as an associate member of the Commission. Further, although national membership of the Commission is limited to 12, where there is a vacancy members may, if they so wish, nominate an industrial nurse. Unfortunately Britain has no vacancy at present and it will have to be seen whether doctors in countries with vacancies will in fact nominate industrial nurses. That industrial nurses have been accorded association with this authoritative body of international industrial medical experts is a deeply appreciated compliment which industrial nurses will also accept as a challenge to the maintenance of high standards of service. In addition to this industrial nursing is linked to the curative and preventive fields of nursing on an international level through the International Council of Nurses.

In Other Countries

Following the Congress of Industrial Medicine in 1948, industrial nurses in Belgium, through the efforts of Mlle Damman, formed an industrial nurses group, representatives of which visited England in 1950. A party of industrial nurses from Britain paid a return visit to Belgium in 1951. Belgian industrial nursing is young, but from what we saw during our visit the standard of industrial nursing compares favourably with our own. Belgian industrial employers are ahead of employers in Britain, in so far as they will not employ a nurse who does not possess her public health diploma in addition to her general nursing diploma. Belgian industrial medical and nursing services, in general, appear to cover the family as well as the worker.

Industrial nursing in Finland is progressing rapidly, having received official support, and we shall have to look to our laurels if Finland is not to outstrip us. Spain is still suffering from the aftermath of the Civil War but valiant efforts are being made to improve conditions within their limited resources. The medical and nursing service to the Spanish railway employees and their families is very fine. Emphasis is laid on the preventive and social aspects of the service, with immunisation, vaccination, alleviation of poverty, and instruction on hygiene and nutrition, receiving priority. The national health scheme provides a curative service, but so great is the employees' confidence in the railway's doctors and nurses that they have had to continue a large degree of curative medicine. The patients are prepared to make long journeys (they travel free on the railways) to be seen by their favourite doctors and nurses. The railway medical coach travels far into the country and it is planned to extend this service to cover the country along the railroad.

It is interesting to note that the incidence of malaria has been greatly reduced in Spain by the use of D.D.T. The incidence of tuberculosis and malnutrition remains high and the medical and nursing resources of the railway authorities in conjunction with others are combating these scourges which strike at the soul of the nation. They are deserving of our sympathy and support.

The railway service is staffed by trained nurses, but other industrial undertakings appear to provide a service for their employees and their families by the employment of a part-time medical officer and auxiliaries comparable to our first aid workers. We saw nothing of industrial nursing in Portugal and we fear there is none, so far.

Industrial nursing is developing in Norway, Holland, Australia, South Africa and as far away as Hong Kong, and India. Sweden is well advanced, but in Switzerland the industrial nurse's role would seem to be a minor one compared with that played by the personnel officer. Industrial nursing

services flourish in New Zealand, the United States of America and Canada.

Pioneer Work

Great Britain in keeping with her industrial tradition has made a noteworthy contribution to international industrial nursing. The Royal College of Nursing was the first in the world to provide a course of training for industrial nursing and in India, China, Finland, Holland, New Zealand, America and South Africa the first nurses with an industrial nursing qualification obtained their certificates at the Royal College of Nursing. Refresher courses have been arranged for industrial nurses from many countries in addition to visits to industries and formal and informal social activities.

In order to foster friendships and understanding, foreign industrial nurse visitors are, whenever possible, given hospitality in the homes of British industrial nurses. The Expert Committee on Nursing of the World Health Organisation states: 'The stage of development of nursing varies greatly from culture to culture. It is limited by the stage of development of medicine and public health. It is interesting to note, however, that in countries where medicine is highly developed and nursing is not, the health status of the people does not reflect the advanced stage of medicine. Nursing is essential to the vitalization of the health programme. Nursing as one of the disciplines of the health team, strives to meet all the health needs of people which are within its province.' While this refers to nursing in general it applies equally to industrial nursing and it is gratifying to note that, in general, the functions envisaged by the Expert Committee on Nursing are being carried out by industrial nurses.

The Report of the Health of Munition Workers Committee, 1918 states: 'A working man's capital is, as a rule, his capacity to perform a full day's work . . . the new preventive medicine has as its object the removal of the occasion of disease and physical inefficiency combined with the husbanding of physical resources of the worker in such a way and to such a degree that he can exert his full powers unhampered and with benefit to himself and all concerned.' Although written over 30 years ago this might have been written today to apply to men and women in any land, whatever their occupation. By the interchange of knowledge, and experience through organised channels, industrial nurses, in conjunction with others concerned with the removal of the occasion of disease and inefficiency, are making a valuable contribution to the well-being of mankind and to the cause of peace.

Book Reviews

A PRACTICAL HANDBOOK OF MIDWIFERY AND GYNAECOLOGY FOR STUDENTS AND PRACTITIONERS (Fourth Edition).—*W. F. T. Haultain, O.B.E., M.C., B.A., M.B., B.Ch., F.R.C.P. Ed., F.R.C.S. Ed., F.R.C.O.G., and Clifford Kennedy, M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S. Ed., F.R.C.O.G. (E. and S. Livingstone, 16 and 17, Teviot Place, Edinburgh. 24s.).*

We welcome the fourth edition of this text book. As the title indicates, it is intended chiefly for registered medical practitioners and senior students, but the sound practical teaching and the excellent illustrations will make it a useful reference book for midwife teachers.

Especially helpful are the tables showing the course of tubal and extra-uterine pregnancy, and the diagrams showing the changes in the uterus and ovaries, during the menstrual cycle and in early pregnancy.

Several sections have been entirely re-written, and the most modern methods of treatment are described; for example, under 'The Care of the Patient, during the puerperium,' early ambulation is advocated, and the authors quote a series of cases under their care in hospital and in private practice where this was practised with satisfactory results.

Also included is an excellent section on the management of breast feeding and lactational disorders. Under 'Pathology of Pregnancy,' each condition, with the appropriate treatment, is very clearly described.

In the section on 'Haemorrhages during Pregnancy' the value of conservative treatment in cases of placenta praevia, and the importance of early transfer to hospital without unnecessary examination is emphasised—so also is the improved prognosis in phlebo-thrombosis, due to use of Heparin, and the practice of encouraging early ambulation, deep breathing and free movement in bed.

In all cases of puerperal sepsis the drugs advocated and the dosage prescribed are given in detail; while the section on lactational disorders contains very sound and practical advice.

Useful chapters are those on sexual disorders and the therapeutic use of hormones in obstetrics and gynaecology.

The techniques of the various gynaecological operations are described and illustrated. Sections are contributed by Miss Murrell, F.R.C.S., on venereology, by Dr. R. G. P. Cummings on the Rh factor in midwifery, and by Prof. J. H. Henderson on artificial feeding, the care of the premature infant and diseases of the newly born.

The authors are to be congratulated on the amazing amount of information they have condensed into a book of such convenient size. It is most valuable for the senior student who needs a sound text book for revision, to the general practitioner for quick reference, and to the midwife teacher, who will find it extremely helpful in the preparation of lectures.

M.W.S., S.R.N., S.C.M.

ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY FOR NURSES (Second Edition).—*by W. Gordon Sears, M.D., M.R.C.P. (Edward Arnold and Co., 41, Maddox Street, London, W.1. 10s.).*

There is much to recommend in this second edition. In all combined books on anatomy and physiology it is difficult to ensure a balance between structure and function which will please everyone, and in this book the bias is towards structure. The new material included is welcome, especially the revised section on blood grouping; it might, however, be wiser not to include the old classification in the tables.

It is good that there are more diagrams included and that they are clear. The diagram of the lymphatic gland (page 179) is, however, unhelpful. The practical applications given throughout are very useful.

There is some ambiguity in places; for example, on page 155, with regard to the bundle of His it states, 'This conducting mechanism is of great importance and may be damaged by disease resulting in various disorders of the heart beat, for example, auricular fibrillation'. On page 154 it says that the 'cardiac cycle lasts 0.8 seconds', but the rate of the heart beat for which this would be true is not mentioned. On page 270 it is a pity that the bowels are listed with the true excretory organs.

These ambiguities which I have mentioned may be clarified by sister tutors and then I am sure this book can be recommended for the use of student nurses.

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APPLIED ANATOMY FOR NURSES.—*by E. J. Bocock, S.R.N., S.C.M., D.N. and R. Wheeler Hainer, M.B., D.Sc., F.L.S. (E. and S. Livingstone, Ltd., 16 and 17, Teviot Place, Edinburgh. 15s.)*

A new book on anatomy as a practical subject for nurses from authors with experience of student nurses and their requirements gains our interest immediately. In the preface the authors say that every fact worth bothering about has an application in explaining either how the body works when it is well, or how it breaks down when it is ill.

The book provides a great deal of factual information. The regional arrangement is good and is interesting to the student. The subject matter is generously illustrated and in many instances the histological appearance is given as well as gross structure. Elaboration of detail does not necessarily make for clarity, however, and fig. 76 showing the attachment of mesentery confuses rather than clarifies fig. 74. Fig. 118 is an unfortunate choice of illustration of the female organs and peritoneal relationships, while fig. 123 attempts to show

too much detail and could well be omitted. It is difficult at first to appreciate the significance of the kettle in fig. 189 which shows the spinal cord and reflex arc. Fig. 143 shows some of the main muscles of the body in action. More diagrams of this type would be helpful in illustrating movements and should encourage the student to think out muscle action for herself.

In the preface the authors make no apology for presenting a great variety of interesting facts, for only the sort of student who likes them is likely to use this book. Tutors should find the book interesting and useful in the preparation of their classes for student nurses, but in the opinion of the reviewer it will have a limited use for student nurses in this country. The authors would be well advised to consider omitting the appendix to the book in future editions.

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THE BRITISH JOURNAL OF PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORK, Number 5.—(*The Association of Psychiatric Social Workers, 1 Park Crescent, London, W.1. 5s.*)

The 1951 Journal of British Psychiatric Social Work provides some 34 pages of interesting and useful reading. Following the editorial the first contribution by Elizabeth A. Ervine describes the difficulties that arise in connection with the psychiatric treatment of children from institutions in this country. Included is an illuminating account of the fairly recent approach to this problem in Jerusalem.

The articles *Comments on the Mackintosh Report* and *Training and Function* discuss principles of education, status, recruitment and the extent of the working field for psychiatric social workers. The basic aims of this professional group resemble in essence those of the nursing profession and the comparison is of interest.

The final paper, a presentation by Lois Hieger and June Jacobson, is derived from a questionnaire that was sent out in 1949 to members of the Psychiatric Social Workers parents' group. We learn how some of these members have either applied, adapted or rejected their theoretical knowledge of bringing up children since becoming parents themselves. The article is justly entitled *Practice versus Theory*.

The concluding pages, concerned with book reviews, notices, and recent publications by members of the Association of Psychiatric Social Workers, might be of some value to sister tutors in the mental field.

This little journal would be worthy of inclusion in the periodicals in a mental nurse training school, if only to engender in the student an awareness of the work of her colleague in this branch of medicine.

P.R.M.R., S.R.N., R.M.N.

THE BRITISH PHARMACEUTICAL CODEX 1949, Supplement 1952.—(*The Pharmaceutical Press, 17, Bloomsbury Square, W.C.1. 25s.*)

The Supplement prepared by the Committee of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain gives first-hand information on many of the drugs which have recently been introduced into medicine. This makes the volume a very welcome addition to the classroom reference library, and will save the tutor much time otherwise spent in research on these new preparations.

Action, use and dosage of these drugs are clearly stated, together with relevant information about their administration. Other sections of the Supplement, particularly that on formulary, should also prove of interest and help.

The Supplement is, however, primarily for the use of the Pharmaceutical Society and includes technical matter of little interest to the nurse but which undoubtedly contributes to the cost of production.

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HEALTH AND THE CITIZEN.—*by Joseph V. Walker, M.D., M.R.C.P., D.P.H.* (*Hollis and Carter, Ltd., 25, Ashley Place, S.W.1. 10s. 6d.*)

This significant book stresses the spiritual aspects of health. These factors have been almost entirely neglected and yet they are probably the most important, ultimately, in all the problems of personal and public health. Health is not merely physical; research shows how much ill-health is caused by non-physical factors. The new knowledge of psychiatry and psychosomatic medicine reveals widespread neurosis and maladjustment. Much of this is due to the lack of purpose and the spiritual poverty which are prevalent even with the ample material provisions of the welfare state.

Dr. Walker does not disguise his philosophy of life—society must get back to Christianity. He uses 'Cabot's cross' in describing the main directions of personality—work, play, love and worship. When there is lack of balance or symmetry between the four limbs of the cross then ill-health results. Frustration or dissatisfaction in any of these reflects itself in a lowered state of health.

Naturally, the author stresses the importance of the family. A non-Catholic reviewer can testify to the firm stand which the Catholic Church has always taken in fair weather or foul; that anything which harms the family is bad and anything that truly helps family life is commendable. With a clear, incisive style the author discusses these fundamental facts and his words have the ring and the force of truth behind them.

To all who would seek to penetrate the deeper issues of life and health this searching analysis is to be commended.

J.L.B., M.D., D.P.H.

THE DIAGNOSIS OF SMALLPOX.—*by C. W. Dixon, M.D., D.P.H.* (*H. Grayshon Lumby, 32, Hyde Terrace, Leeds, 2. 2s.*).

This little work, produced by the Department of Preventive Medicine and Public Health, University of Leeds, gives in its 12 pages a clear picture of smallpox. It has five plates in colour, illustrating the disease, and a useful chart showing the principal clinical characteristics of the nine types of smallpox. The booklet should be a useful addition to a public health nurse's library.

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DISABLED CITIZENS.—*by Joan Simeon Clarke.* (*George Allen and Unwin, Ltd., Ruskin House, Museum Street, London, W.C.1. 16s.*)

In this book Mrs. Clarke describes the measures being taken in various parts of the world to deal with the problems of the physically handicapped. She has compiled several simple tables of statistics which will interest readers, and her excellent list of books for further reading leaves no excuse for half-knowledge of this subject.

She records her actual experiences: for example, she quotes, and rightly agrees with, a hospital almoner of her acquaintance who said, 'There are no such people as the handicapped. There are handicapped individuals, all of them different.' She discusses the care of the epileptic, cerebral palsied, tuberculous, and deafened, in a way which shows intelligent appreciation of their difficulties.

There is need for a change in the public's attitude towards handicapped persons. The author recalls the manager of a store who instantly dismissed a lame employee after he had watched her, for the first time, walk across the floor of the store; the handicapped cinema usherette who, although considered to be the best girl the manager had ever had working for him, was given notice to leave because, it eventually transpired, the insurance company had objected to her employment; the health questions to prospective employees which sometimes include the question 'have you, or any of your family suffered from stomach ulcers?' with a refusal of employment if the answer is 'yes'; the elderly bank clerk who had worked some twenty years in a bank before he had his daily fit, not in the early morning, but at 11 o'clock at the bank—he was dismissed.

The book—full of faith and fire—is fervently ambitious for the better care of the handicapped. Here is one example of the style. Mrs. Clarke tells the story of a child of two years who fell on the fire. 'As he grew older the burnt skin contracted until, at 12, he could neither use his hands nor close his eyes or mouth. The parents, burdened with a boy deemed ineducable and whose appearance terrified other children, battled for him until he was sponsored by a foremost surgeon and given a bed in an adult hospital . . . he has regained the use of his hands, and will soon undergo treatment for his face. Only the parents' persistence has saved an

intelligent and likeable boy from spending his life in the guise of a grotesque and drooling idiot.'

After reading Mrs. Clarke's ably presented survey of the problem of disabled citizens, it is disappointing to find that some of her recommendations are drastic to the point of unreality in some instances, as in her demands for enlarged child guidance services.

In these days of strict economy, we can only gaze upon the requirements which she has listed carefully and at length, and wonder when they will be satisfied. Many years must pass before we see the establishment of diagnostic centres, increased psychiatric facilities, provision of more day and residential school accommodation, more sheltered workshops and homes for the aged deaf, about which she speaks. Our urgent need is for suggestions which are capable of immediate realisation.

J.L.B., M.D., D.P.H.

MARRIAGE; The Art of Lasting Happiness.—*by DavidMace M.A., B.Sc., Ph.D.* (*Hodder and Stoughton, Warwick Square, London, E.C.4. 8s. 6d.*)

Mr. Mace is an old friend of the marriage guidance movement, and this book is based on his articles in the women's magazines. He does not claim to have covered his whole subject, but has dealt with aspects which are often overlooked. In many cases he describes the specific troubles of a particular couple, Florence and Jim or Tony and Pauline. The language is simple and the book easy reading if you like this approach.

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Books Received

Handbook of Child Law (the fourth edition of *Handbook for School Attendance Officers*).—*by John Stevenson and Laurence Hagne.* (*Sir Isaac Pitman and Sons Ltd., 40s.*)

This Matter of Mind.—*by Brian H. Kirman, M.D., D.P.M.* (*C. A. Watts and Co. Ltd., 1s.*).

Health Education; A Guide to Principles and Practice.—*by Cyril Bibby, M.A., M.Sc., F.L.S.* (*William Heinemann Ltd., 17s. 6d.*)

Hotel and Institutional Housekeeping.—*edited for the Hotel and Catering Institute by O. G. Goring, F.H.C.I., as chairman of the Publications and Teaching Aids Committee.* (*Published for the Institute by Practical Press Limited, 12s. 6d.*)

Problems of Hospital Administration

THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE HOSPITAL SERVICES; A Report of a Committee of the Institute of Hospital Administrators.—*Published by the Institute, 75, Portland Place, London, W.1. 5s. 3d., post free*).

Any nurse interested in the wider aspects of her profession, especially from the institutional angle—certainly those serving, or volunteering to serve, on regional boards, management or house committees—would find this report stimulating and informative. Not that the words ' nurse ' and ' matron ' appear with any frequency; understandably, interest is focused on the problems of hospital secretaries, finance and supply officers.

But few individual nurses will have given as much objective thought to problems of hospital administration as the committee appointed by the Institute of Hospital Administrators, under whose auspices the report was compiled. This committee has been drawn from a wide field, including metropolitan, provincial and Scottish hospitals or groups, medical teaching hospitals and individual mental hospitals; in their turn the committee have obtained evidence from officials representing more specialised subdivisions.

The first five chapters of the report are concerned with the administrative set-up of the hospital and consultant service within the Health Service. They deal with such problems as how to foster initiative, responsibility, and economy at the periphery when all the time central control in matters of finance assumes an increasingly rigid pattern and timetable; the pro's and con's of the house committee; and the best way for hospital officers, including medical and nursing staff, to make their contribution to the conduct of the group's business. On this latter point the committee, in line with most people who have studied the question, consider it inappropriate for such officials to serve on their own or neighbouring management committees or boards of management. While they concede that a special case could, perhaps, be made out for medical consultants without administrative duties, they emphasise that the position is at its potential worst in the case of the medical superintendent of a mental hospital.

Hopes that the National Health Service would do great things for the mental health service have so far proved unfounded, and though the committee make allowance for the legacy of outdated buildings and equipment and staffing difficulties, they attribute much of the stagnation to the Ministry of Health directive that the administrative head of a mental or mental deficiency hospital should be a medical man. In the committee's view the sooner all such departures from the normal hospital pattern are done away with, the mental hospital service merged, where possible, in the general group, the better. (The medical superintendent's control of nursing staff—unjustified but assumed in some hospitals—is still a thorn in the flesh of the mental hospital matron.)

On the general relationship of the matron and administrative officer ' account must be taken,' says the report ' of the fact that the matron is much more than a departmental head, being understandably and properly the officer most closely associated by the public, and in particular by the patients, with the conception of the hospital and its working'. This idea is elaborated in a first class chapter on the external relationships of hospital authorities. In this the hospital is studied, not as an isolated institution, cut off from the community it exists to serve, but as an important social unit. ' No amount of formal public relations work,' say the committee, ' will correct an unfavourable state of mind resulting from a bad general attitude of the hospital staff towards the patient and his relatives. Minute tidying of the ward and exaggerated preparation for the visits of doctors, and unnecessary small irritations, discourtesies and disregard, are some of the factors which cause damage to the relationship between hospital and patient long after physical ills are put right. The harm does not stop at the particular patient, for patients have families and friends, and are often not disposed on returning to ' normal ' life to minimise grievances acquired whilst in hospital. . . . The fundamental need is to encourage an attitude of public-spirited helpfulness at all levels of hospital staffing, which, to paraphrase a celebrated dictum, should not only exist but manifestly be shown to exist, in all dealings of the hospital with the public or any section of it.'

This part of the report is full of helpful suggestions, including four good paragraphs on that heel of Achilles, the outpatient department. But others are equally good. Indeed it is difficult to particularise without summarising the whole report, whose sections range from weaknesses within the Whitley machine (in relation, for instance, to dismissals) to methods of interesting but controlling an exuberant local press; from zonal experiments in co-ordination to central supply schemes which eat up in costs what, on paper, they were hopefully meant to save; from the advantages of the staff consultative committee ' not an upward channel for grouses or a downward channel for conveying slightly softened *dictats* '—to the rival claims of promotion from within and the introduction of new blood from without.

This report should widen the horizon and stimulate constructive thinking. If one had a criticism it is that the compilers beg the question somewhat by suggesting (page 64) that the provision of more money would solve most of our financial problems. It is a solution which appeals to all, from the Chancellor of the Exchequer to the youngest student nurse, but most of us see little difference between putting it forward and baying for the moon.

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A Case History

TUBERCULOUS MENINGITIS

by JOHN H. JORDAN, Charge Nurse, St. Luke's Hospital, Bradford.

Doctor's Summary

by C. L. Davidson, M.D., M.R.C.P.

This patient presented a most interesting diagnostic and therapeutic problem from the onset of his illness in November, to his final discharge more than 10 months later. He was admitted with the clinical appearance of an acute cerebral disorder, and at the time it was considered that the condition was due to a cerebral abscess with early meningeal involvement, for there was a history of a carbuncle on the left arm one to two weeks previously. Treatment with penicillin by three-hourly injection was given, and subsequently a course of streptomycin, without dramatic benefit, but the general condition of the patient gradually improved and he was discharged from hospital on January 19, 1950. He remained well at home for four or five weeks, but there was then a recurrence of cerebral symptoms of more severe character, coma finally developing. At this stage he was seen by Mr. W. R. Henderson of the Neurosurgical Department at Leeds, and it was decided to perform a craniotomy with a provisional diagnosis of cerebral abscess. At operation, however, only a mass of inflammatory tissue was discovered in which tubercle follicles were found histologically. In the days following the operation, the patient passed into a pitiable condition, for he became semi-comatose, severely wasted and developed several bedsores. At this stage he was returned to St. Luke's Hospital, Bradford and although his condition was extremely grave, treatment with streptomycin was commenced in a dosage of 0.75 g. eight-hourly, this being continued for six months. Gradually progress was made, the bedsores healed, sphincter control was regained, and the patient once more became a friendly young man, though his mentality was somewhat facile, and his memory for the greater part of his illness lost. His condition on discharge from hospital was, however, most encouraging, and was a tribute to the nursing care which he received when the chance of recovery seemed very remote indeed.

At St. Luke's

THE patient, G———, was aged 23 years. On transfer to St. Luke's Hospital on April 4, he was very lethargic, showing no interest in his surroundings, and it was impossible to obtain any 'history' from him. Temperature, pulse and respiration were normal; he was incontinent, weak and emaciated, with several bad pressure sores on hips and shoulders and a large ulcerated area on the sacrum. The patient had to be fed, having no inclination to take food himself. When questioned, he did not seem to remember anything and only recognised his own relatives.

Streptomycin 0.75 grams was ordered intramuscularly, eight hourly, and Multivite, tablets 3, three times daily.

April 20. The patient appeared to be making some progress. The temperature, pulse and respirations remained normal. The pressure sores were responding to treatment; they were being cleansed with peroxide, and small cavities dressed with Eusol packs.

April 24. Good progress was being maintained. The pressure sores were healing well and were now being treated with sulphanilamide powder, with vaseline gauze overlay, a covering of dry gauze and sealed with Elastoplast.

April 29. The temperature, pulse and respirations remained normal. Good progress was maintained and the pressure sores continued to respond to treatment. When the patient was first treated for these, he would scream and complain of being hurt, but he was now quite quiet when treatment was carried out.

May 14. The pressure sores were now completely healed, the appetite had improved and the patient was taking his diet well and making an effort to feed himself. The incontinence was less severe and he was aware when he had passed urine (the urinal was left *in situ*). He now asked to use the commode, but was still incontinent.

May 19. The patient's appetite remained good and he was now feeding himself without any difficulty and was able to sit up in bed. He was putting on weight. His memory was still poor and he never started a conversation spontaneously. He started smoking without persuasion. He was able to control the urine, but there were some signs of faecal impaction in spite of incontinence of faeces, and a rectal examination revealed a hard mass of faeces in the rectum. This was removed manually.

May 22. A rectal wash-out was given with good result, and a rectal wash-out twice weekly was ordered until the bowels acted normally.

May 25. The patient's weight was 7 st. 4 lb. 6 oz. His memory was still very poor. He was aware of passing urine, but unable to control the act; he was able to use the commode. He sat in the bedside chair for 20 minutes.

May 29. Multivite tablets and streptomycin were continued and the patient was making progress and was able to read the daily newspaper quite intelligently. He sat up in a chair for two hours with no ill effect. There were no signs of fatigue and the temperature, pulse and respiration remained normal.

June 6. The patient did not remember things in the past, but was happy because he could now control his bowels and micturition. Reading interested him and he pointed out various items to the nursing staff. He passed on a piece of news communicated to him by a visiting relative in detail to the nurse; but his memory was still poor.

June 9. The patient did not recognise the nurse who had previously carried out his treatment, on her return to duty from two weeks' holiday. He had, however, no difficulty in recognising his own relatives. His temperature, pulse and respiration continued normal. He was now allowed to get up and dress, sitting in his chair, although not strong enough yet to walk; he was up for 2½ hours without ill effect. His weight was now 7 st. 11 lb. 4 oz.

Confirming the Diagnosis

June 12. On this date the following letter was received from Mr. W. R. Henderson, Neurological Surgeon to the General Infirmary, Leeds: "Histological report is as follows:

"Naked eye—one large portion of meninges with a little floccular deposit. Histology—there is diffuse lymphocytic infiltration with one tubercle composed of epithelioid cells, lymphocytes and Langhan's giant cells. The centre of the tubercle is not caseous and there is a suggestion of fibroblastic differentiation here, though there is no marked peri-follicular fibrosis.

"Diagnosis—Tuberculous meningitis."

June 13. Progress was still maintained and the patient was able to stay out of bed for longer periods without ill effect. The Multivite and streptomycin were continued. The appetite was now very good and the patient's weight was 8 st. 2 lb. 5 oz. Walking exercises on the ward were now commenced, although the patient was unsteady and could only walk with assistance. His mental condition was very much improved and he had no difficulty in recognising people, but there was total amnesia regarding the onset of his illness.

June 18. The general condition had much improved. Conversations were started independently and the patient would discuss very well the topic of the day—cricket, asking

for news of progress of his favourite team.

June 22. Further walking exercises were taken. There was good progress and the patient could now dress himself quite easily. The mental condition was vastly improved and he could enter into conversations and talk intelligently on most subjects. Massage and exercise were ordered.

June 24. The physiotherapy treatment was commenced. The patient was still very weak and unable to walk without assistance, but could stand quite well.

July 3. The walking had improved, but the patient lacked confidence, saying that he felt safer with assistance.

July 17. Occupational therapy was ordered by the consultant physician. The patient agreed, saying that this would occupy his time a little; he wrote a letter for the first time since the onset of the illness.

July 26. Occupational therapy was started, the patient being taken to the department on a trolley, as he was not yet able to walk well enough by himself. His weight was now 9 st. 2 lb. 9 oz. Two weeks later he was walking to the physiotherapy and occupational therapy departments, accompanied by the porter. He had made several useful articles, including lampshades and purses.

August 18. Streptomycin and Multivite were continued twice daily. The patient was now able to get about the ward unaccompanied but with the aid of walking sticks.

August 24. The patient's weight was 9 st. 6 lb. 12 oz. His mental condition continued to improve, but there was still complete amnesia regarding the onset of the illness. When the patient was asked about a scar on the left forearm, he stated that he thought he had had a boil there some years previously.

August 30. Excellent progress was maintained and the patient could now walk short distances without the aid of walking sticks.

September 8. Occupational therapy and physiotherapy were being continued. Walking without sticks continued, but with no great confidence yet. The patient's appetite continued good and his temperature, pulse and respiration normal. His relatives desired his return home, but the house physician recommended keeping him a little longer, until he gained further confidence.

September 30. Lumbar puncture was performed under a local anaesthetic. Two specimens of clear cerebro-spinal fluid were obtained; there was no obstruction. The patient's weight was 10 st. 6 lb. 8 oz. and his discharge was recommended.

October 1. The House Physician's report was as follows: "Patient discharged this morning. General condition is very good. There is slight residual weakness of his legs; he can, however, get about comfortably with the aid of walking sticks and if the steady progress is maintained, he should, in due course, be able to dispense with these".

The patient was to continue with occupational therapy and physiotherapy for three days per week. He continued to attend the two departments for some five or six months and was finally discharged in May. He is now back at his work in the engineering shed of a Bradford firm.

I would like to say how grateful I am to Dr. C. L. Davidson, M.D., M.R.C.P., for reading through the details of this case and for his kind consent to publication. My thanks also to all the nursing staff who helped to nurse the young man back to health and enabled him to lead a normal life once again.

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When you fill in your return for income tax purposes be sure you claim the allowances available on your superannuation contributions and check the notice of coding on receipt to confirm that proper allowance has been made. Your own annual contributions paid under the National Health Service or local government schemes are treated as coding allowances and rank for full relief from income tax. Contributions paid under the Federated Scheme (and also in most cases of policies effected with the Royal National Pension Fund) rank for allowance of tax subject to certain restrictions, for example, the total amount on which the allowance is based cannot exceed one-sixth of the individual's income for the year in question or £100, whichever is less.

Film Strips

Acute Respiratory Disease: *by the National Film Board of Canada. Distributed in the United Kingdom by Unicorn Head Visual Aids Ltd., Broadway Chambers, 40, Broadway, Westminster, London, S.W.1, 12s. 6d.*

This film strip has been prepared to summarise the information on acute respiratory disease for medical and other officers of the Canadian Army, and for this purpose, the plates and script are on the whole most adequate.

The losses from acute respiratory disease have been calculated on an army of 200,000 stationed in Canada. Plate 4 shows a composite picture of the situation in a clear and concise way; small illustrations giving: *a.* the number of men in hospital on an average day; *b.* the cost of that day's hospital treatment; *c.* the time loss; *d.* the cost for the year; *e.* the number of men who will through this cause be discharged from the service; *f.* the memorial crosses of those who will die. These small pictorial illustrations are linked by broad arrows to the footnote which reads 'much of this is preventable'.

To enhance the dramatic effect of the above information, plates showing the cost of one day in hospital in large type and then total cost for one year's treatment in figures of the largest possible size might be included.

Plate 5 shows the proportion of streptococcal respiratory infections comparable with all the other illnesses which occurred in the year 1942. It is completed by the staggering total of days spent in hospital, which was 2.3 millions, and plate 6, a graph, shows the monthly rates of hospital admissions, one third of which are due to respiratory infection.

One of the most important illustrations, plate 9 stresses the fact that dust control methods alone (as outlined in an earlier film *Control of Respiratory Disease*) can bring the incidence of acute respiratory illness down from 77 per thousand to 18 per thousand.

In plate 14 the complications of streptococcal respiratory infections are shown pictorially and even to officers without medical knowledge, must emphasise the seriousness of the problem confronting the Army authorities.

Plate 15 shows diagrammatically that the complications which follow acute respiratory infection are due frequently to cross infection with another type of streptococcus. The details of the tests carried out to prove this are given.

Why the rates of infection vary between units living under similar conditions is answered in plate 18 as: *a.* variable dust control in sleeping quarters; *b.* variable personal hygiene.

Plate 19. This should prove of interest to all as it shows pictorially the changing thoughts and increasing knowledge of the causes of the spread of respiratory infection from 1743 to 1893 and 1943.

The final plate recapitulates the measures undertaken to reduce respiratory disease in the Canadian Army: 1. the insistence on dustless sweeping (oiling floors and sweeping compound). 2. outdoor shaking of blankets and hanging them in the sun periodically. 3. use of special hut orderlies. 4, campaigns to improve personal hygiene and dust control.

These measures alone have reduced the incidence of infection from one third to one half.

Although not designed primarily for the use of nursing staff, this strip and its companion, *Control of Respiratory Disease*, have been used to promote discussion of the ways in which their teaching can be applied to the prevention of cross infection in the wards and the prevention of spread of infection in the nurses' homes.

The use of these films in sequence should aid the Canadian Army authorities to reduce further the incidence of acute respiratory infection in camps.

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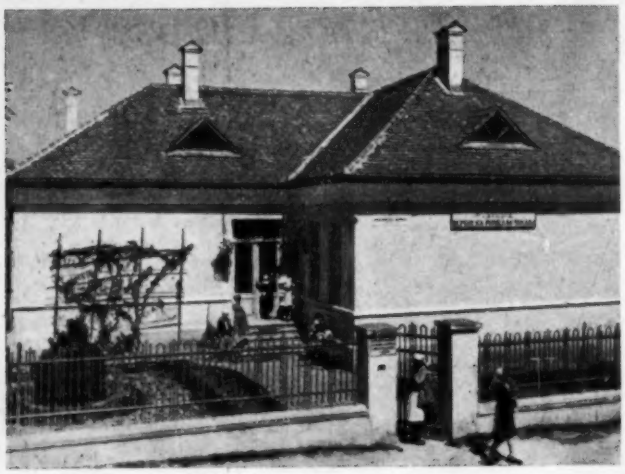
Inter-Hospital Tennis Tournament

Arrangements for this year's competition for the *Nursing Times* Lawn Tennis Challenge Cup will be published next week.

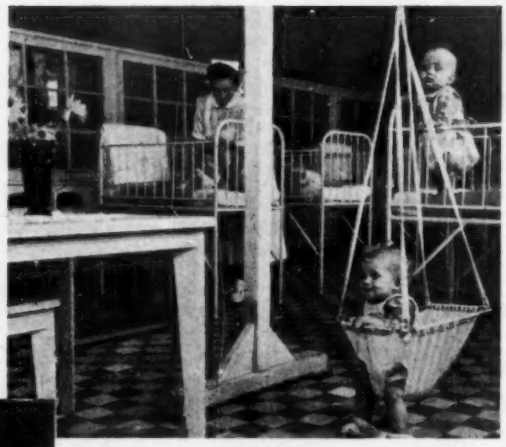
CHILD CAR



Above: *a new health centre in a village.*

Right: *in a maternity home in Bucharest.*

A Doctor Reviews Roumania's Health Services



Left: *the special room for one-year-olds at a Bucharest factory day nursery.*

Below: *the children's sandpit at a kindergarten.*

Below: *the dining room at a kindergarten.*

N ROUMANIA

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I VISITED Roumania last year and was fortunate in that the Ministry of Health in Roumania gave me every facility for investigating the health services of that country. Before describing how they arrange medical care of their children, I think it would be profitable to examine the general question of the causes of infant deaths.

We are justly proud of the fall in the number of infant deaths in our country; the infant mortality rate today is not much more than half that of pre-war. Although we have not achieved the premier position in the countries of the world for low infant mortality rates, some of our boroughs and districts have attained rates of less than 20 per 1000. We hope we shall soon reduce our rates to the low levels of the towns in the Netherlands, Norway, and Sweden (the infant mortality rate in Stockholm in 1950 was only 18). Our infant mortality rates 70 years ago were almost five times as great, 150 per 1000 and upwards, and it was not so very long ago, a matter of 25 years, that many of our boroughs, districts, and even cities, had rates of over 100 per 1000.

Causes of Lowered Mortality Rates

The drop in the rates during and after the war has been very puzzling; we have not discovered the causes for this marked fall in infant deaths. Many reasons have been given, ranging from the improved dietary of mothers and babies to the better education of the mothers in the principles of child care. Yet the study of *Our Towns* during the war, and the general shortage of health visitors, doctors, teachers, and other health workers, seems to refute the hypothesis that better education of mothers played a big role in the reduction of infant deaths. The infant mortality rate has always been considered a sensitive index of the social environment, and it has often been asserted that if we take care of the environment, the infant mortality rate will take care of itself. Here again, the war experience seems to refute this argument; the infant mortality rates were reduced during a period when the social environment, if it did not deteriorate, certainly did not improve. We are thus faced with a dilemma that none of the usual hypotheses for reducing the number of infant deaths can fully account for the reduction during the last few years.

It is this background which makes the study of infant mortality rates in countries with different histories from ours very interesting, because we can get a better picture of our own work and we can thus obtain a better perspective for the future.

Other Countries' Experience

There are many countries in the world today which have infant mortality rates higher than those we had 70 years ago. They are usually underdeveloped agricultural countries where poverty and ignorance are widely prevalent. A few years ago Roumania was one of these countries; it had an infant mortality rate reaching to over 200 per 1000 in many districts. This was the problem facing the new Ministry of Health which was formed soon after the last war. Although the birth rate was quite high, there was a great drain on human life in the first year of infancy. Within the short period of four years the Ministry of Health and the people of Roumania have achieved a reduction in infant deaths which at these high levels of infant mortality rates usually takes at least 50 years: they have practically halved the number of their infant deaths. How they did this makes a fascinating story.

The new Minister of Health and the Government were

Children at a factory day nursery in Roumania. It is estimated that by 1955 pre-school education will cover 4,000,000 children

confronted with a population suffering from poverty and ignorance, and living in a bad social environment, which had been made worse by the Nazi occupation during the last war. There was no simple short cut to the problem of raising the standards of living and of the health services of the people in order to reduce the number of infant deaths. A master plan was required, one which would work for the people and with the people. I discussed this problem with the Minister of Health, paediatricians, health visitors, many doctors and social workers, and they were all agreed that alone they could not have achieved these good results. The mothers and the people of the country also had to play their part in the battle to save infant lives; but they had to be given every assistance from doctors and other health workers.

The Ministry of Health was made responsible for all aspects of the medical services, and these were unified so that hospitals, health centres, and general practitioners worked together. I think I can best give a picture of this plan by describing the work of a health visitor in a health centre and the work in the district for which she is responsible.

Health Visitor's Work

The health visitor illustrates in her own work how much of the success was won. The health visitor I spoke to was named Teresa Pop, and she had been qualified 12 years. She told me that health visitors had a three-year general training and despite a general shortage of health visitors, they had enough working in her district and in her health centre. Bucharest was divided into eight areas, and the area in which she worked had a population of about 170,000. This area was divided into 24 districts and there was a health visitor for each district. Before the war there had been only five doctors for the whole area; now there were 24.

I asked her whether her work was any different since the new medical system had been organised, and her bright smile was sufficiently expressive to give me an answer. She replied that she found it much easier today to educate the mothers in the care and welfare of their babies. Firstly, the health visitors were not acting alone in the superhuman task of teaching health and hygiene habits to ignorant and illiterate people. Mothers and young women were given health talks at their place of work, at community centres, and at the clinics. Health visitors and doctors were helped by the Red Cross organisation which had thousands of members who had special training in the education of the general public in the simple rules of health and hygiene. At the same time teachers, organisations and community centres were holding classes and schools to overcome general ignorance and illiteracy. Pamphlets, leaflets and simple reading material, together with health posters and well-displayed exhibitions, complete with excellent guides, helped in this work. I visited an exhibition on the 'Evolution of Man' and can testify not only to the skill and simplicity of the arrangement of material and the knowledge and efficiency of the guides, but also to the keen interest of the public. I passed this exhibition often and there was always a queue waiting to get in. It was packed when I visited it and the audience consisted of simple ordinary people, including peasant women and many teen-agers. My guide was a student of biology who was doing this work during his holidays. He said that he

often learned more in this work than he did from many lectures.

Secondly, the health visitor told me, she was working much more closely with the doctor who shared with her the responsibility of looking after the health of the community in the district. They discussed their work daily and made special arrangements for the difficult cases. Occasionally they went out visiting together. They supervised the care and welfare of the sick as well as the healthy child. Their work was closely linked with that of the local hospital, for the doctor worked three hours a day on alternate days in the health centre and hospital, and for five hours every day did his district-visiting. The doctor had charge of his own cases in hospital, and he worked directly under the supervision and guidance of the consultant. All doctors who treated children in the clinic or in the district had special training in paediatrics, and all health visitors had a special postgraduate course. They expressed surprise that in some countries general practitioners with no special training in paediatrics were responsible for the care and treatment of children.

The health visitor showed me with pride a complete baby's trousseau which was given away free to many mothers. It consisted of napkins, coats, pyjamas, dresses, and cot covers. She explained that mothers received either an allowance for clothes or the actual clothes themselves. Mothers who worked also received from 80-100 per cent. of their earnings for 35 days before the confinement until 45 to 55 days after the confinement; the rate of payment and length of the period depended upon the length of her employment. Mothers were also helped in the feeding of their infants. Most children were breast-fed, but the few artifically fed babies and older infants received special supplements to their diets.

Mothers also had practical demonstrations of how to

A scheme in a school for illiterates in the village of Orlea, in the Dolj region of Roumania.

prepare meals. I was shown a large well-equipped kitchen with modern up-to-date cookers and refrigerators. This kitchen was situated in the basement and I saw mothers and school children come with vouchers and collect dried milk, fresh milk, soups and special dishes for babies; these foods were given away free or at a small cost. I was quite amused to watch how the person who distributed the foods dealt with a school-child who said she had dropped and broken her bottle of milk on the way home. After the inevitable bureaucratic questioning common in many countries, another bottle of milk was given to her.

Comprehensive Clinics

The health centre was very modern and up-to-date. It had been built in 1949 and had already been extended in 1951. It differed from our clinics in being comprehensive, organised for the practice of both curative and preventive medicine. All adults and adolescents were treated there, as well as mothers and children. Most specialities were represented: ear, nose and throat, eye, heart, rheumatism, gynaecology, and general medicine. The health centre had its own X-ray apparatus, laboratory, and technical staff, and it was closely connected with the local hospital; many health centres had been built in the grounds of the hospitals. This organisation has great advantages because all treatment could be arranged on the spot without delay.

The children were brought to the clinic once a month for two years and then at least six-monthly for another two years. Children in day nurseries received special attention; day nurseries were often part of the health centre and the numbers built were increasing rapidly. This health centre had a day nursery for 25 children aged from six weeks to three years. It was visited daily by a doctor who spent three hours there, arranging special diets for children, examining all children daily, and carrying out medical examinations monthly. The nursing staff of the day nursery was similar to ours—one nurse or assistant to every five children.

I spoke with one of the junior doctors working in the health centre. She had been qualified seven years and was going to specialise in ear, nose and throat work. She described to me with enthusiasm and in detail how they had reduced the incidence of chronic ear discharge by organising the treatment of otitis media with penicillin, and making sure that the child made regular attendances until the discharge was quite clear.

Dental Department

The dental department for children was well equipped; it had three dental chairs, and I was told that school children were examined five times a year. I examined their books and thought that their treatments for August of 27 total extractions and 47 children with fillings was rather small, but they explained that it was the school holidays and many children spent them in country or seaside holiday camps.

There was healthy competition between the various sections in the health centre. Targets were set for the work of the year, and special charts showed the progress of the health teams in reaching their target. Wall newspapers often depicted in cartoon or verse the weaknesses and idiosyncracies of some of the members in a very humorous and telling way; public opinion and a live social and community spirit encouraged everyone to pull his weight.

The general work of the health visitor in the dictrict was similar to ours: she taught baby care and hygiene in the home, visited infectious disease contacts, excluded them from school or day nursery, and gave advice on how to prevent the spread of infection. However, she had more responsibilities in the care of the sick child and of the children in day nurseries. Throughout the treatment of the child, great emphasis was laid on his medical and social needs and his hygiene. There was a close liaison with the public health department, which was trying to make every health worker mindful of the implications of the social environment, so that immediate action could be taken to improve cleanliness, dispose of refuse and destroy the many flies.

I saw several health centres in Bucharest. The most modern was in the grounds of a factory which had attached to it a workers' club with a library, cinema, theatre, concert hall and dining room, together with a night sanatorium for workers who were suffering from debility.

Rural Services

In the country the organisation of the health services was not as well developed as in the towns. In one country area a doctor, three midwives, two health visitors, and one Red Cross sister supervised the health of a population of 9,000. The health centre was much smaller than in the towns, and the doctor lived in a house attached to the health centre. The weather in Roumania is very hot in the summer so their day starts and finishes much earlier than ours. The doctor saw about fifty people in the centre between seven a.m. and one p.m., and made about five visits daily in the summer and from fifteen to twenty in the winter. He also worked alternate days in the local hospital of the nearest town, and he sent all his cases for consultation there. As in the town, he worked very closely with the health visitor and the public health department.

The health visitor visited mothers twice weekly and then

once a week until the baby was six months old; more intensive visiting was done in the country because the general standard of education of the peasant women is lower than that of the townswomen. Another reason was that only about 10 per cent. were able to come to the clinic because of difficulties in transport; the remainder had to be visited in their homes. All children were vaccinated against diphtheria and scarlet fever between the ages of 9-15 months. B.C.G. vaccination was also practised extensively.

The doctor at the country health centre also visited schools, and was generally responsible for the general hygiene of the community, including the hygiene of shops and of food preparation. He had been qualified for 14 years but he said that he had really been practising medicine, in the true sense of the word, for only four years. He felt that he had the confidence of the people. He held many meetings and he gave health lectures both to selected representatives and to mass organisations, with the result that they had by local initiative subscribed to and built a new 15-bed unit adjoining the health centre. I saw this unit just after it was opened, and before it had received its first patient. It was strange to see 15 empty beds in a country of such general activity in all the hospitals.

I also saw anti-malarial stations in the country and epidemiological units, which helped to reduce the incidence and mortality rates of malaria and typhus. The staff of these worked in close collaboration with the doctors and health visitors at the health centre.

I think we can now begin to discern the secret of the Roumanian health services' success in reducing the number of their infant deaths by such a large extent in only a few years. Firstly, all the health workers and services worked together under the direction of the Ministry of Health as a team, with one single aim and purpose—to improve the health of the people. The health visitor was particularly fortunate in this respect as she was treated as a key worker in the care of the child. Secondly, the health workers encouraged the growth of local initiative and inspired members of the public to work with them; they thus gained valuable allies in their battle for health.

We can now see that the reduction in the number of infant deaths is not just a question of improving feeding, or education, or housing, but a combination of all these factors. The number of infant deaths can best be reduced if health visitors, doctors, health workers, and all members of society join together to raise the standards of living and of the health services of the country.

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State Examination Questions

FINAL STATE EXAMINATION FOR THE PART OF THE REGISTER FOR MENTAL NURSES*

PART I

Only five questions are to be answered.

1. Give a full account of the insulin shock treatment of schizophrenia.
2. What are the common diseases of the air passages? Describe a case of one of these conditions and outline the treatment.
3. In what mental diseases may outbursts of violent behaviour be expected? How would you prevent such and how would you deal with them when they occur?
4. Discuss the part played by heredity in mental disorders.
5. Describe a case of exophthalmic goitre. What nervous or mental disturbances may result?
6. Discuss the use of occupation in manic-depressive psychosis, setting out clearly the purpose and value of the treatment in each stage of the disorder.
7. How can an organic paralysis be distinguished from a hysterical one ?

PART II

Only five questions are to be answered.

1. How would you prepare a patient for a routine physical examination ? What would you have in readiness for the medical officer carrying out the examination?
2. Mention fully the nurse's duties in the care and management of patients undergoing prolonged narcosis.
3. Give in detail the preparation of a patient for a major abdominal operation.
4. A patient is admitted to hospital in an acutely confused toxic state. What is the nursing care of such a patient for the first twenty-four hours?
5. Describe the routine precautions which should be in force to prevent an outbreak of fire.
6. Discuss fully the nursing care of a patient suffering from acute rheumatic fever.
7. Give the nursing care of a patient suffering from an anxiety state.

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FINAL STATE EXAMINATION FOR THE PART OF THE REGISTER FOR NURSES FOR MENTAL DEFECTIVES†

PART I

Only five questions are to be answered.

1. Give an account of the hostel treatment for mental defectives, describing also the types of patients for whom this treatment is suitable.
2. Define 'instinct' and give an account of the classification of instincts.
3. Give the incubation periods, signs, symptoms and methods of spread of: (*a*) typhoid fever; (*b*) syphilis; (*c*) measles.
4. Discuss the importance of weaving as an industry amongst mental defectives.
5. Give an account of the various conditions which may cause swelling of one or both feet.
6. What effect has alcohol either in small or large quantities on the human mind ?
7. Name the vitamins and describe their actions on the human body, and give the results of vitamin deficiency.

PART II

Only five questions are to be answered.

1. What do you understand by the word anaemia ? Discuss the nursing treatment of a high-grade mental defective suffering from pernicious anaemia.
2. Describe in detail how you would fill a full size water-bed and place it in position for a bed-ridden imbecile.
3. Discuss fully how you would prepare your block or ward for taking stock for inventory purposes.
4. How would you cleanse the following articles after use: (*a*) surgical instruments; (*b*) record syringe; (*c*) gum-elastic catheters; (*d*) rubber gloves; (*e*) blood-stained linen ?
5. State in what way a mental defective child may sustain a scalded throat. What first aid treatment would you adopt ?
6. What is a parasite ? How are parasites classified ? Give the nursing treatment for the condition caused by any one type.
7. Describe in detail what you would prepare in the ward in readiness for the doctor to incise an abscess.

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ENGLISH AND WELSH SECTION

Division (a) Nurses Resident anywhere in England and Wales

Miss E. D. Ayris

Ayris, Edna Doreen, R.S.C.N., S.R.N., S.C.M. **Theatre Superintendent, General Infirmary at Leeds** (845 beds). *Training School*: The General Infirmary at Leeds. *Previous Experience*: theatre charge nurse, General Infirmary at Leeds; staff nurse, Audley Road Hospital, Birmingham, 18; staff midwife, Lucy Baldwin Maternity Hospital, Stourport-on-Severn, Worcestershire; night sister, labour ward sister, lying-in-ward sister, St. James's Hospital, Leeds; surgical ward sister, The General Infirmary at Leeds.

To represent the ward and departmental sisters in all facets of the government of nursing, to the end that administration shall not prevail over practical nursing and in so doing become self-sufficient. To raise the professional status of the ward and departmental sisters to a level comparable to that of an administrative sister. To ensure that experienced members of this group are not lost to active nursing duties through lack of financial gain. To facilitate periods of study leave to enable these members to remain aware of new trends in nursing education with consequent benefit to the student nurse, and our common end—the patient.

Miss H. M. Downton

Downton, Helen Murray, S.R.N., S.C.M. **Matron, University College Hospital, London** (1135 beds). *Training Schools*: Wingfield Morris Orthopaedic Hospital, Headington, Oxford; St. Bartholomew's Hospital, E.C.1; Sussex Maternity Hospital, Brighton. *Previous Experience*: night sister, medical and surgical ward sister, St. Bartholomew's and Hill End Emergency Hospital, St. Albans; second assistant matron, St. Bartholomew's Hospital; assistant matron, St. George's Hospital, S.W.1.

To make the professional work of the College more widely known, and so to increase its membership. To work for full representation of the nursing profession on the policy-making bodies affecting nursing matters, and to safeguard our professional ideals in all negotiations. To improve the status of the trained nurse. To encourage her post-graduate training in all fields, and thus to give full support to the Educational Fund Appeal. To aim at providing a training for student nurses which will enable them to realise the great contribution that they will be able to make towards the health of the community, and to promote the highest possible standard of nursing care for the sick.

Miss G. E. Collingwood

Collingwood, Gladys Eve, Sister Tutor Certificate. **Principal Tutor, Mount Vernon Hospital and the Radium Institute** (400 to 600 beds). *Training School*: St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, E.C.1. *Previous Experience*: charge nurse, Manor House Hospital, Golders Green; ward, home and housekeeping sister, theatre and casualty tutor, deputy matron, Bishop's Stortford Hospital; senior tutor, Royal Free Hospital, London; private nursing home; sister tutor, Stamford and Rutland Hospital, Lincolnshire.

To do my utmost in all circumstances to maintain the independence and integrity of our profession; to maintain the present and if possible to raise the future standard of training by means of mutual help and co-operation with the ward sisters; to correct anomalies in salaries and conditions; to try for more elasticity both in the service and its pension scheme. To establish provincial headquarters, to stimulate interest and recruitment, and to provide official offices for area organisers. I shall do my best, as I have always done, for every nurse no matter what her grade, or branch of nursing.

Miss N. M. Dixon

Dixon, Nancy Mary, S.R.N., S.C.M., H.V.Cert., Queen's Nurse. **Deputy General Superintendent, Queen's Institute of District Nursing.** *Training School*: Dulwich Hospital. *Previous Experience*: ward sister, Dulwich Hospital; assistant superintendent, Willesden District Nursing Association; superintendent, Watford District Nursing Association; senior superintendent of home nursing, Bristol.

To support the educational policy of the Royal College of Nursing, particularly with regard to post-certificate training in administration and teaching. To work for greater understanding between the various branc of the profession and to encourage membe to join their professional organisation and take an active interest in the managem of nursing affairs.

Miss L. G. Duff Grant

Duff Grant, Lucy Gwendoline, R.R.C., S.R.N. S.C.M., D.N. (Leeds), Registered Sister Tut **Matron, Manchester Royal Infirmary, and Princ United Manchester Hospitals School of Nurs** (695, 80 and 105 beds). *Training School*: Thomas's Hospital, London, S.E.1. *Previ Experience*: staff nurse, charge nurse and assi intendent, St. Thomas's Hospital, London, S.E. sister tutor and assistant matron, the Gener Infirmary at Leeds.

The furtherance of schemes for comprehensive basic training and pos certificate specialisation in order to ensu that the patient receives the best possib bedside nursing care and attention. T draw the attention of all nurses to th necessity for and the advisability belonging to a recognised association wi the aim of obtaining one hundred per cen membership of the Royal College Nursing; also, the promotion of uni within the profession.

Mrs. E. A. McDonagh

McDonagh, Edith Anna (*nee* **Kenyon**), S.R.N **Private Nurse.** *Training School*: Willesd Municipal Hospital, N.W.10. *Previous E perience*: staff nurse, sister, National Hospit Queen's Square; sister, Victoria Hospit Romford; sister and night sister, District Hospit Brentwood; sister-in-charge, nursing home a clinic; private nursing, South Africa; chairma Private Nurses' Section.

To further good relations between a sections of the profession, believing we a have a contribution to make towards a efficient nursing service. To maintain th high standard of the nurse in the eyes of th public. To keep myself fully informed o the changes within the profession and t support those which will benefit nurse an patient. As chairman of the Priva Nurses' Section and their representative o other committees, I have come to realis the private nurse has a contribution to ma in these discussions. I am most concerne with the welfare of the older nurses an shall always watch their interests mo closely. Finally, there has been no priva

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ELECTION POLICIES

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nurse on the College Council for two years. If you feel your Council should represent all branches of nursing, you will support my nomination and honour me with your vote.

Miss M. B. Powell

Powell, Muriel B., S.R.N., S.C.M., Diploma in Nursing (University of London), Registered Sister Tutor. **Matron, St. George's Hospital, London, S.W.1** (532 beds). *Training School*: St. George's Hospital, S.W.1. *Previous Experience*: sister tutor, Manchester Royal Infirmary; sister tutor, Ipswich Borough General Hospital; ward sister, St. George's Hospital, S.W.1; chairman of the South West Metropolitan Branch.

I have had the privilege of serving as a Council member for the past few years and if I am elected I shall continue to work for the College with even greater interest and enthusiasm. As a Council member I feel that our efforts should be constantly directed to securing an even more active and representative membership. This will only come about as nurses become more fully conscious of their professional responsibilities and of the great work already accomplished by the Royal College of Nursing for the nursing profession. Those of us who are members must have the courage of our convictions in exerting our influence to this end.

Miss F. Taylor

Taylor, Florence, S.R.N., R.S.C.N., I.S.T.M., S.C.M., Diploma in Nursing (University of London). **Sister Tutor, Guy's Hospital, S.E.1** (1,000 beds). *Training Schools*: Guy's Hospital, S.E.1, and Queen Mary's Hospital for Children, Carshalton. *Previous Experience*: private nurse, ward sister, night superintendent, Norfolk and Norwich Hospital; night superintendent, office sister, sister tutor, Guy's Hospital, S.E.1.

My policy is directed to maintaining a high standard of professional education in schools of nursing. This is essential in order to encourage women who love nursing and who are also well educated to enter the profession. There should be close co-operation between the sister tutors and the ward sisters. Both should strive to improve the nursing care given to the patient. A comprehensive basic training should be taken before specialisation. Variations of a general training should be tried but it is better to train a nurse to be responsible, resourceful and adaptable rather than try to include all the specialities. The members of the profession should decide upon the organisation of their profession. They can only do this through their professional organisation.

Division (b) Nurses Resident in Wales

Miss D. E. Davies

Davies, Doris E., S.R.N., R.F.N., Sister Tutor Certificate. **Senior Sister Tutor, Swansea Hospital Parc Beck, Swansea** (413 beds). *Training School*: Swansea General Hospital. *Previous Experience*: ward sister, Western Hospital, Fulham; sister tutor and home sister, Merthyr General Hospital; senior sister tutor, Swansea General Hospital.

After qualifying as a sister tutor I returned to my training school in 1942 where I became vice-president of the Student Nurses' Association with a 100 per cent. membership. I look upon the Royal College of Nursing as my professional organisation and look to it to protect my status as a nurse. In 1948 I was persuaded to become secretary of the Swansea Branch of the Royal College of Nursing. This has made me realise our organisation must be a negotiating body too and that we must have more branches and members if we wish people of our own profession to control our affairs. If elected, I will do all in my power to prevent the standard of nurse training being lowered. I will become more versed in the intricate workings of the Whitley Council in order to protect the interests of my colleagues.

Miss G. M. Lewis

Lewis, Gwenith Mary, S.R.N., S.C.M., Examiner for the General Nursing Council of England and Wales. **Sister-in-Charge, Gynaecological Unit (Ward, Theatre and Outpatient Clinic), The Royal Infirmary, Cardiff, attached to the Welsh National School of Medicine** (450 beds). *Training School*: Guy's Hospital, London, S.E.1. *Previous Experience*: night sister, ward sister, administrative sister and midwifery district coach, Guy's Hospital, London.

My policy is to do all in my power to see that the Royal College of Nursing is supported by 100 per cent. membership of trained nurses. To stimulate the student nurse to belong to her professional organisation. As a ward and departmental sister, to ensure the prestige of the sister, allowing her opportunities to broaden her outlook both in her work and as a citizen. This will help to promote a better understanding of human relationships and guarantee the best service to patients. To further postgraduate courses both nationally and internationally. To support and strengthen the Ward and Departmental Sisters Section.

Division (d) Nurses Resident in Midland Area of England

Miss C. F. S. Bell

Bell, Clara F. S., S.R.N., S.C.M. **Matron, The Leicester Royal Infirmary** (700 beds). *Training School*: Guy's Hospital, London, S.E.1. *Previous Experience*: ward sister, night sister, home sister, assistant matron, Guy's Hospital; lady superintendent, Guy's U.S.A. Hospital, Sevenoaks, Kent.

To support all schemes designed to make the Royal College of Nursing truly representative of all State-registered nurses, and by this means to give the profession unity and strength to participate in all professional negotiations and enable us to keep all nursing affairs under our own control. To facilitate means by which ward sisters and staff nurses can take postgraduate courses and study, to fit them for greater responsibilities. To safeguard against any tendencies to lower the standard of nursing care and training of the student nurse. Lastly, to encourage the highest spirit of co-operation within the service for the benefit of the patient.

Miss M. A. Priest

Priest, Margery Alice, S.R.N., Sister Tutor Diploma, Examiner for the General Nursing Council for England and Wales, Examiner for the Joint Nursing and Midwives Council, Northern Ireland. **Principal Sister Tutor, Bristol Royal Hospital** (650 beds). *Training School*: St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London. *Previous Experience*: staff nurse and acting sister, Paddington Green Children's Hospital, London; ward and theatre staff nurse, St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London; ward, theatre, administrative relief sister and sister tutor, Bideford and District

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Hospital, Bideford, Devon; assistant sister tutor, senior sister tutor, Bristol Royal Hospital.

To further my earnest desire to maintain and improve the standards and traditions of the British nurse, and to advocate good, modern facilities for practical and progressive nurse education. To promote a wider feeling of interdependence between tutors, ward sisters, administrative staff and public health nurses, in fact all branches of the profession, by the encouragement of greater co-operation and the study of each others ideals and problems. To support a greater appreciation of the services of the senior ward sister, and to give more opportunities for her active participation in post-graduate education and College affairs.

Division (e) Nurses Resident in Southern Area of England

Miss S. B. Bates

Bates, Sadie Beatrix, S.R.N., S.C.M., Housekeeping Certificate. **Matron, Worthing Hospital** (273 beds). *Training Schools*: The Metropolitan Hospital, London, E.8; Thorpe Coombe Maternity Hospital, E.17. *Previous Experience*: staff nurse in The Metropolitan Hospital, E.8, and at The Queen Victoria Memorial Hospital, Mont Boron, Nice; night sister, The Baby Hospital, Kensington, W.11; ward sister, The Children's Hospital, Hull; home sister, Ancoats Hospital, Manchester; assistant matron, Worthing Hospital.

We all know only too well that finance is governing many plans we would like to see implemented in the nursing profession. Until this situation becomes easier, I feel it would be a wise policy to concentrate on matters affecting members' problems. The Royal College of Nursing has always been helpful in this respect and I am sure many members have cause to be grateful for help received. We have always to make sure that the importance of the nurse, particularly the trained nurse, is well understood by management committees throughout the country, and that every endeavour is made by them to see that she is accorded her proper status, and that her interests, as an important member of the Health Services, are safeguarded. I should support the College in its endeavour to maintain at a high level the prestige of the profession.

Miss M. E. Gould

Gould, Marion Edith, S.R.N., S.C.M., Diploma in Nursing, University of London, Sister Tutor Certificate, Certificate of Florence Nightingale International Foundation. **Principal Tutor, Nightingale Training School, St. Thomas's Hospital, S.E.1.** *Training School*: Nightingale Training School. *Previous Experience*: charge nurse, St. Thomas's Hospital; ward sister, gynaecological ward, Lady Reading Hospital, Simla; night sister, Willesden General Hospital; home sister and sister tutor, Willesden General Hospital; sister tutor, Southend Municipal Hospital, Rochford, Essex; principal sister tutor, Nightingale Training School, St. Thomas's Hospital.

If elected to the Council I should continue to endeavour to do all in my power to improve the education of the student nurse. This I should strive to do in the following ways: by working in every possible way to see that the area nurse training committees are composed of educationalists, and that they will carry out their function of giving 'constant regard' to the education of the nurse without confusing this issue with the staffing of hospitals in the area. By striving to separate more clearly from the minds of all in authority the two problems of the education of the nurse and the staffing of hospitals. That sister tutors are recognised in their function as educationalists and given such preparation and conditions as will enable them to carry out this function. That ward sisters should be appointed and regarded as educationalists, and that this function should receive financial recognition in all training schools and should in time be preceded by preparation and qualification, thus laying greater emphasis on the practical education of the nurse. At the same time the practical training and status of the assistant nurse should be improved and careful examination made of the possibilities of concentrating the training schools for the Register in each area so that selection is possible in every school of nursing.

SCOTTISH SECTION

Miss M. C. Cameron

Cameron, Margaret Carmichael, R.G.N., S.C.M., Diploma in Nursing, University of London. **Matron, Royal Infirmary, Perth** (272 beds). *Training Schools*: Glasgow Royal Infirmary, Royal Maternity and Women's Hospital, Rottenrow, Glasgow. *Previous Experience*: sister, Glasgow Royal Infirmary; sister tutor in charge of Preliminary Training School, Glasgow Royal Infirmary; deputy matron, Royal Infirmary, Forester Hill, Aberdeen.

My policy is to work for unity and strength within the nursing profession by doing everything possible to increase membership of and active interest in the Royal College of Nursing. To uphold and maintain the highest standards in practical nursing and to do everything possible to secure for nurses the recognition within the Health Service which the valuable contribution they make to it deserves.

Miss M. D. Morrison

Morrison, Margaret Drummond, R.G.N., S.C.M., R.M.N. **Matron-Superintendent, Bradford Institution, Port Glasgow** (110-200 beds). *Training Schools*: Western Infirmary, Glasgow; Maternity Hospital, Rottenrow, Glasgow; Smithston Hospital, Greenock. *Previous Experience*: staff nurse and sister in Western Infirmary, Glasgow; assistant matron, Springfield Mental Hospital, London, S.W.17; superintendent of nurses, Smithston Hospital, Greenock.

Having myself worked in both general and mental fields of nursing my policy would be to stress for a greater interchangeability of staff in these fields. This could best be done by including in general training a short period of mental nursing. In this way the interest of a student nurse would be aroused and any apprehension she may have had regarding this type of work would be overcome. In my opinion experience gained in this way would be of great value to a nurse in helping her to understand human nature and as a result the patients under her care in all types of hospitals would benefit from her added knowledge and experience.

Miss W. E. Prentice

Prentice, Winifred Eva, S.R.N., Midwifery Part I, Housekeeping Cert., Sister Tutor Cert. Diploma in Nursing, University of London. **Principal Sister Tutor, Stracathro Hospital, Brechin** (650 beds). *Training School*: East Suffolk and Ipswich Hospital. *Previous Experience*: staff nurse and ward sister, East Suffolk and Ipswich Hospital; ward sister and relief administrative sister, Essex County Hospital, Colchester; sister tutor, West Suffolk and King's Lynn Hospital.

To work for active membership of the Royal College of Nursing of all State-registered nurses and to encourage a wider publicity of its activities. I believe that the future of nursing and the continued good care of our patients depends upon nurses receiving an adequate, full and satisfying professional education. A wider participation in professional organisation is needed in order that nurses may formulate their own policies in nursing affairs nationally and internationally. I shall always strive towards these ends.

IRISH SECTION

Mrs. S. B. Diver

Diver, Susan, B. (*nee* **Morgan**), S.R.N., S.C.M., Sister Tutor Diploma Examiner to Joint Nursing and Midwives Council, N. Ireland. **Sister Tutor, City and County Hospital, Londonderry, N. Ireland** (142 beds). *Training School*: Walton Hospital, Liverpool. *Previous Experience*: ward sister, night superintendent, senior sister, acting assistant matron, sister tutor.

To work for a 100 per cent. active membership of the Royal College of Nursing. To encourage all student nurses to belong to their association. To promote, inside hospital, closest co-operation between the ward sister and the teaching staff. Less domestic duties for the student nurse and where possible, a wider basic training. To press for adequate leave with salary for trained nurses to enable them to take post-certificate courses and refresher courses. To obtain adequate nurse representation on all committees set up under the National Health Service Act. To see the profession built up of sufficient nurses, highly equipped to meet the health needs of the people both inside and outside the hospital.

Miss F. E. Elliott

Elliott, Florence Eileen, O.B.E., S.R.N., S.C.M., M.D.T., Housekeeping Certificate, T.A. Certificate. **Matron, The Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast** (720 beds). *Training School*: Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast. *Previous Experience*: ward sister, Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast; sister, Elsie Inglis Hospital, Edinburgh; matron, Whiteabbey Sanatorium, near Belfast.

My aim is to further general improvement in our service to patients. This can best be achieved by more comprehensive training with special attention to raising standards

of patient care in the less fortunate hospitals and areas. I advocate shortening the academic training of the sister tutor. I consider every effort should be made to increase membership as the means by which our ideals can be realised.

Miss D. Melville

Melville, Dorothy, M.B.E., S.R.N., R.S.C.N., M.S.R. **Matron, Children's Hospital, Greenisland, Co. Antrim** (120 beds). *Training School*: Mile End Hospital, E.1. *Previous Experience*: surgical sister, Cripples' Home, Bangor; extern and X-ray sister, tutor sister in Royal Belfast Hospital for Sick Children.

As a member of the College since transfer from the Student Nurses' Association, I would endeavour to persuade all trained nurses to support their professional organisation, and so be in a position to control their professional development. I would work to maintain the democratic nature of the College organisation. I would endeavour to obtain for nurses every reasonable facility to serve their patients as fully as possible. I would continue to endeavour to improve nursing educational standards and opportunities, always remembering that the first duty of every nurse is the promotion and maintenance of real health of all who come under her care.

TUBERCULOSIS—*A Patient's Point of View*

A TUBERCULAR patient is notoriously irritable and discontented. An understanding of why this is so would, I believe, considerably help the doctor and the nurse in coping with him. When he is about to be admitted to the sanatorium the tubercular patient is not only a case requiring medical attention, but also suffering from emotional complexes; it is from these complexes that his evident discomfort and irritability spring.

In his early days under observation the patient carries on his occupation as usual. He is able to walk to the hospital without any ill effects. Even on the day he enters he arrives under his own power, carrying a suitcase. Because of this he believes that he is in no great or immediate danger and that he could, if he wished, postpone his arrival for a few days. He may have had to wait six months or more before being admitted to the hospital so that he feels another day would make little difference.

Realisation

With these thoughts in his mind, the gravity of the situation escapes him. He may, of course, be all the better for that, but when he eventually understands his position, an important factor is taken from his life. Suddenly the whole situation is changed; his life is in danger and he learns for the first time that his treatment will take not a few weeks, or even a few months, but a year or more. That 'freedom' which has been taken from him has to be replaced by something else; and it is usually replaced with misgivings and a certain, almost natural, resentment. A feeling of 'why should it be me?' and 'why was I not warned?' The brunt of this attitude has to be borne by the nurse.

The nurse in fact suffers much of his irritability, for it is on her that much of his resentment falls. To the doctor he must be attentive, to the sister he must be polite, but to the nurse, who is to fetch and carry for him, he says anything. To the nurse is given, perhaps unknowingly, the task of clearing away this resentment complex, for it is the nurse who tends him in the true sense. She not only cares for his needs, but she keeps his interest in life alive and prevents him from getting morbid.

The First Task

She gets to know the patient in a way in which the doctor never can, and she learns to understand those of his problems which are not of a medical nature. With this relationship beteeen nurse and patient the nurse easily becomes his confidante, and to her is given the job of clearing the patient's mind—the first thing to be done in helping the patient to full recovery.

Another source of the tubercular patient's resentment is the restrictions imposed upon him by the discipline of the hospital. Most consumptives, especially the young ones, do not appreciate the reasons for such discipline. Before long, strong disagreement between the patient and the sister or the doctor arises, in which the patient gives full rein to his indignation.

During my stay in sanatoria, I observed closely and intimately the emotional effect of tuberculosis. This left no doubt in my mind that it produces emotion that has to 'bubble over' and be, as it were, thrown off by the patient. The irritability and occasionally anger that are easily aroused in the patient illustrate this.

Working off Emotion

Quite often, in my own case, I found that while I was following some quiet occupation such as reading, I would suddenly have a feeling of being 'bottled up' inside. Only by violent exercise such as kicking and stretching was I able to overcome this feeling, which I can only describe as having a mental origin and a physical effect. It was like being bound hand and foot and wanting desperately to move. The phenomenon continued throughout the illness and was present not only when lying still in bed, but on occasions when I was writing or doing occupational therapy. This, I think, proves that lack of exercise and lying still in bed are not the only factors that contribute to this feeling. I believe this to have been a kind of stagnant emotion which some light exercise would have relieved.

It seems to be generally accepted that the patient should be kept in ignorance of the real nature and state of advance of his disease. These are professional secrets. Yet in view of the morbid state of the tubercular patient's mind, could anything be more harmful? He is always liable to look upon, and feel himself to be, far worse than he undoubtedly is. Enlightenment, in my opinion, not only relieves unnecessary fears, but would also enable him to appreciate the seriousness of his position *at the beginning*, which, as I have said, he seldom does. It would raise rather than lower his morale, and it would also give him incentive in his struggle for recuperation.

To instruct the patient on the effect and consequences of tuberculosis appears to me, as a patient, to be the first thing to be done. After nine years of being 'under observation' I still do not know how I caught tuberculosis or even what it really is.

However, it is not the habit of the staff of hospitals to divulge these secrets, and until they do the patient will still have to keep an alert eye for opportunities to glance at folders containing his history.

D. E. B.

Coming Events

East Sussex County Nursing Association.—A study week for health visitors will be held at Southover Grange, Lewes, from March 31 to April 4. The inaugural address will be given by Miss E. J. Merry. Lectures will include: *The Future of the Health Visitor*, by J. H. F. Brotherston, Esq., M.A., M.D., D.P.H.; *Parenthood*, by Miss Agatha H. Bowley, Ph.D.; *The Relationship between Physical and Mental Diseases*, by F. A. Elliott, Esq., F.R.C.P. There will be discussions on: *The Linking up of Hospital and Public Health Services* and *Is There a Place for the Assistant Nurse in the School Health Services?*

Paddington Hospital.—A nurses' reunion will be held in the Nurses Home, Paddington Hospital, on Monday, March 31, at 3 p.m. Certificates will be awarded to the successful candidates of the February examinations. R.S.V.P. to Matron.

Mayday Hospital, Croydon.—The prizegiving and reunion will be held on Thursday, April 3, at 2.30 p.m. A warm welcome is extended to former staff and trainees of the hospital. Miss Henry, Registrar of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales, will present the prizes. R.S.V.P. to matron.

Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps Association.—The fourth annual general meeting will be held at 20, John Islip Street, Millbank, London, S.W.1, on Saturday, March 29, at 2.30 p.m. The agenda will be sent to members notifying the secretary, not later than March 22, of their intention to be present. (Telephone, Victoria 9741, Extension 1). Tea will be available.

The International Haemophilia Society.—The annual general meeting will be held at the small assembly room, St. Pancras Town Hall, London, W.C.1, on Sunday, April 20. Provisional timetable: 2—3 p.m. introductions and discussions; 3 p.m. official business; 4 p.m. tea. Thereafter open meeting. Will any member willing to serve on the executive committee, which meets in London on weekday evenings several times a month, please inform the President, Mr. Frank A. Smith, as soon as possible.

The Mental After Care Association.—The 72nd annual meeting will be held at the Apartments of the Royal Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1, on Friday, March 28, at 3 p.m. Sir Percy Barter, C.B., Chairman of the Board of Control, and Dr. Henry Yellowlees, Chairman of the Association, and others will address the meeting. Kindly notify the Secretary, Eagle House, 110, Jermyn Street, S.W.1, if you hope to be present.

The National Association of State Enrolled Assistant Nurses, South-West London Branch—The annual general meeting will be held at St. Benedict's Hospital, Tooting, on Wednesday, March 26, at 7.30 p.m. Mrs. Prentice, O.B.E., A.R.R.C., will speak on the *Work of the Red Cross*.

Wigan and Leigh Hospital Management Committee.—The prizegiving and reunion will be held in the Outpatient Hall, Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan, on Saturday, March 29, at 3 p.m. A presentation is to be made to Miss M. G. Wilkie, who retires from the office of matron on March 31. The visiting speaker will be Mr. K. W. Montsarrat, T.D., F.R.C.S. A warm welcome is extended to all former staff and associates of the Infirmary. Those wishing to be present should write to the Assistant Matron.

News in Brief

Central Midwives Board

At its meeting in March the Central Midwives Board nominated Miss E. Carter, Matron of The Liverpool Maternity Hospital, as the Board's representative on The Liverpool Area Nurse Training Committee.

A New Style

New and smarter uniforms have been designed for nurses in the eleven hospitals and nursing homes of the Archway Hospital Group in North London. Instead of the present dresses with buttons down the front, the new design buttons to the waist only, having a neater shoulder line. Colours, which will vary according to the grade of staff, will be maroon, royal blue, light blue, mauve and emerald green.

Whitley Council

National Hospital Service Reserve

General Council Circular No. 31 states that the General Council has agreed that employees of bodies constituted under the National Health Service Acts (other than persons already employed in hospitals) who, with the consent of their employing authority, join the National Hospital Service Reserve, shall be allowed special leave with pay.

The arrangements for special leave with pay apply only to the period of hospital training which members of the Reserve are required to undertake while qualifying as nursing auxiliaries. This hospital training may be taken either full-time (48 hours in six days) or part-time (80 hours in nine months).

Where the hospital training referred to in the paragraph above is undertaken full-time, special leave with pay for the purpose shall be granted as follows:

Normal Annual Leave Entitlement	*Special Leave with Pay*
18 days or less	6 days
19—35 days	3 days
36 days	Nil

Special leave with pay should normally be confined to full-time training, but where part-time training has to be undertaken in working hours, special leave as set out above may be given for absences of not less than half a day.

This agreement, which does not affect the position of local authority employees within the scope of the Whitley Councils for the Health Services, shall come into operation forthwith.

[February 24, 1952].

Removal Expenses

General Council Circular No. 30 states that under existing arrangements, the removal expenses of employees of bodies constituted under the National Health Service Acts may be reimbursed by the employing authority in certain circumstances. The General Council have had under consideration the question of the expenses which should be allowed in such cases and have reached agreement on the arrangements which are set out in an appendix to the circular.

The arrangements agreed by the General Council do not affect the position of local authority employees within the scope of the Whitley Councils for the Health Services.

This agreement shall come into effect forthwith.

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Additions to the Library, February, 195

New Books

Burrows, H. J. and Coltart, W. D.: Treatment by manipulation. (Practitioner, 1951. 12s. 6d.)

Chesser, Eustace: Cruelty to children; with proposals for remedial measures. Gollancz, 1951. 10s. 6d.)

Dobinson, C. H.: Technical education for adolescents; some thoughts on present problems. (Harrap, 1951. 7s. 6d.)

Finnie, W. J.: Anaesthetics and anaesthesia for nurses. (Iliffe, 1951. 7s. 6d.)

Fraser, J. M.: Psychology, general—industrial—social. (Pitman, 1951. 25s.)

Gavey, C. J.: The management of the 'hopeless' case. (Lewis, 1952. 9s. 6d.)

Geffen, D. H. and Tracy, S.: Dietetics, hygiene and infectious diseases. (Longmans, 1951. 9s. 6d.)

Goring, O. G., editor: Hotel and institutional housekeeping. (Practical Press, 1951. 12s. 6d.)

Herxheimer, H. G. J.: The management of bronchial asthma. (Butterworth, 1952. 22s. 6d.)

Howell, T.: Chronic bronchitis. (Butterworth, 1951. 17s. 6d.)

Hughes, A. G.: Education and the democratic ideal. (Longmans, Green, 1951. 10s. 6d.)

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The Royal College of Nursing has no film library, but can provide information abou films.

Appointments

Hardy, Miss G. M., S.R.N., Diploma in Nursing. University of London. **Matron, Western Hospital, Seagrave Road, Fulham.**
Trained at North Staffordshire Royal Inf., Stoke-on-Trent and the Leeds City Hosp., Seacroft, Leeds. *Previous appointments*: matron, Battersea General Hosp., London; matron, Mater Infirmorum, Belfast; matron, Whitley Hosp., Coventry.

Hunt, Miss R., S.R.N., S.C.M., R.F.N., Q.N., H.V. Cert., **Assistant County Nursing Officer, Dorset.**
Trained at St. Olave's Hosp., London, Park Hosp., Hither Green, London. *Previous appointments*: training midwife, Gloucester, assistant superintendent, Slough, superintendent, Kingswood, District Nursing Associations.

Jenkins, Miss D. M., S.R.N., R.F.N., S.C.M., Part I, B.T.A. Certificate, Housekeeping Certificate. **Matron, Ilkeston General Hospital, Derbyshire.**
Trained at the South London Hosp., Clapham Common; Park Hosp., Hither Green; Redhill Hosp., Edgware; Walton Sanatorium; The West London Hosp., Hammersmith. *Previous appointments*: out patient sister, South London Hosp.; ward sister, Portwey Hosp., Weymouth; night and ward sister, Harefield County Hosp.; assistant home sister, Hillingdon County Hosp., Uxbridge; senior home sister, Sefton General Hosp., Liverpool; assistant matron, Walton Sanatorium, Chesterfield.

Simmons, Miss C. A., S.R.N., S.C.M., R.M.N., R.M.P.A. **Matron, Hortham Colony, Almondsbury, near Bristol.**
Trained at St. Mary's Hosp., Portsmouth, St. Chad Hosp., Birmingham; Hill End Hosp., St. Albans. *Previous appointments*: deputy matron, Whittington Hall Hosp., Chesterfield; matron, Leytonstone House Hosp., London; matron, Bramley House Hosp., Enfield; matron, Birmingham Public Health Dept.

Turner, Miss G. M., S.R.N., S.C.M., Health Visitor Certificate. **Area Nursing Superintendent, Surrey County Council.**
Trained at Southend Municipal Hospital, Rochford, Essex, Plaistow Maternity Hosp., London. *Previous appointments*: Queen's district nurse, West Sussex; health visitor and school nurse, Portslade, East Sussex; area nursing superintendent, East Sussex County Council.

Williams, Miss H. D., S.R.N., S.C.M., Queen's District Nurse, **Second Assistant Superintendent, Westminster and Chelsea District Nursing Association.**
Trained at Hampstead General and North West London Hosp., N.W.3; Maternity Unit, Southampton; Maternity Home, Ipswich. *Previous appointments*: night assistant, Hampstead General Hosp.; midwifery sister, Maternity Home, Ipswich, district nurse and midwife, East Suffolk County Council.

Correspondence

Burns in the Home

May I wholeheartedly support the article emphasizing the need for the Bill to prohibit the sale of certain heating appliances without an effective guard, the second reading of which was on March 14. During the course of my work I naturally see very many serious burn cases, and I am unfailingly reminded that in almost every case, the pain which is inevitable even with the most gentle methods of burn treatment, need never be experienced. Even the distressed parents of a badly burned child never really see the burn, because the child is wrapped up and rushed off to hospital and the burn is thereafter covered up in some way when they visit. It is an impossible thought, but if only they could see the burns and not only the splendid results of surgical and nursing skill, how many more precautions would be taken to protect children and old people.

At the South Bank Exhibition of the Festival of Britain, many people were affected by the sight of coloured photographs of various wounds, and had to leave the Health Pavilion. What a pity we cannot rouse the nation by a display of some sort which would shock into action because 'This is what happens and need not—what are you doing to stop it?'

M. MARGARET DURRANT, S.R.N.
Nursing Consultant,
Irrigation Envelopes Limited.

Reader's Request

It was with regret that I read *Farewell to London*, the last of the series I have enjoyed it more than I can tell you, not only has it given concise and interesting information, it has also inspired the prospective visitor to London to decide on certain visits. May I express the hope that the series will be followed by a series on other parts of Great Britain.

With regard to the Royal College of Nursing special course, *The Abiding Pattern*, being unable to attend, may I say, as there may be many other persons similarly disappointed, that I would like to feel that as much of the relevant matter as possible would be published in the *Nursing Times*.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast. F. E. ELLIOTT. Matron.

[We appreciate such suggestions from our readers and always endeavour to comply with them.—EDITOR.]

The Spiritual Factor in Nursing

I read with interest your note on 'The Spiritual Factor in Nursing' (*Nursing Times*, March 1), particularly with regard to the representation of the British Medical Association on the Churches' Council of Healing. You say that two lectures are suggested for student nurses on this aspect of their work. I feel that this is an excellent step towards promoting an appreciation on the part of nurses of the importance of the ministry of divine healing.

We know that God is the source of all health and healing; this was illustrated so dramatically by Christ 2,000 years ago. Medicine and nursing for the sick are not alternatives to God but are two of the many instruments He uses, and they can be used to give the fullest benefit to suffering humanity if those most intimately concerned with the sick—the clergyman, doctor, psychiatrist and nurse—work in co-operation as a team.

I believe that in many hospitals this principle is recognised, and now that the Churches' Council of Healing has suggested some lectures for nurses on the subject it is a step further towards unifying the team.

Are there no further steps we nurses can take to strengthen this teamwork and promote the fullest co-operation? How can we best demonstrate that we recognise the necessity of approaching healing from this three-fold standpoint—body, mind and spirit?

COLLEGE MEMBER.

Congratulations

As a New Zealand registered ex-nurse (1915 vintage) I am pleased to forward an annual subscription to your magazine which has been lent to me for the last two years by a Plunket nurse boarder. Needing much rest through cardiac trouble, I have spent the whole afternoon reading back numbers and have been thrilled and intensely interested in the prizewinning essays, the high standard of nursing advocated and encouraged, the recording of our most satisfying profession internationally, the splendidly clear illustrations and the wonderful articles by prominent medical men.

My youngest son has just joined the medical staff of one of our largest mental hospitals so your articles on mental nursing have especial interest.

Though past active duty now, may I thank you for all you are doing for our loved profession, and wish you every possible popularity and success through many, many years.

GRACE M. FINN.
Te Awamutu, New Zealand.

'Out of True'

I should like to take this opportunity of saying what I thought about the film *Out of True* which was shown during the recent conference on The Mental Health Services. I agree that the film fails completely to show the scope and function of mental nursing and would even go further. It seems to me extremely bad psychiatry to give all treatments in quick succession to the same patient, without any explanation either to the patient, the relatives or the audience.

The film shows the audience the patient's past history, but gives no indication how doctors, nurses or social workers obtain this information. Most of all, it seems to me very bad propaganda. If I were a prospective patient, I should hate to think I would be treated in as heartless a manner as the patient in the film. It is poor nursing to tell a distressed, soaking wet patient, who comes back in the middle of the night, to get undressed, and then to walk away from her.

As a prospective relative I should feel most indignant at the way relatives are treated in the film. The abrupt manners, no explanations, no attempt at consideration of the husband's feelings, etc.

We heard a great deal during the conference about the highly skilled job of a mental nurse. We heard people say that a nurse could not possibly learn to deal correctly with emotionally disturbed people in less than three years.

The film gave no indication of what it is that the mental nurse has learnt. Not once in the film do we see a nurse show anything like 'sympathetic understanding.' There is very little contact in the film between nurse and patient, and what little there is does not show the mental nurse up too well. We see a nurse interrupting a patient's conversation by calling the patients to tea from a distance. We see a nurse walking away from a patient who tries to tell her about her painting; we see one nurse turning the patient's husband away at the door, and sending a streaming wet patient to bed, into a ward full of sleeping patients. The nearest she gets to nursing is to say 'I will get you a hot water bottle'. Is this what she took three years to learn? We see a night nurse walking noisily through the ward, without observing that one patient is awake and upset.

Mental nursing is summarised in textbooks as applying 'sympathetic understanding, eternal vigilance, patient perseverance'. None of these are easily shown in a film, but it must be hoped that some day a better film will be made than *Out of True* expressing visually the description by Menninger of the Psychiatric Hospital and Sanitarium, Topeka, Kansas, in his article on 'The Needs and Opportunities in Psychiatric Nursing' published in *Hospital*, 1937, where he describes what we expect of the psychiatric nurse. She must be 'a confidential friend to the patient, and a companion in recreational and occupational activities. She must be a diplomat in handling actual difficulties which arise concerning treatment and privilege. Finally she must be the doctor's chief advisor concerning the patient's behaviour, and at the same time capable of charting intelligently and accurately . . . . become objective and non-emotional, and yet remain sympathetic, friendly and understanding in her relationships to patients.' This is the nicest way I have seen of summarising all that the film failed to bring out.

A. ALTSCHUL.
The Maudsley Hospital. Principal Tutor.

RETIREMENTS

Miss Ivy Benn

Miss Ivy Benn, theatre sister at the Liverpool Royal Infirmary, will shortly be retiring after over 30 years at the hospital. Friends of the Liverpool Royal who wish to be associated with a gift to Miss Benn should send donations to: Sister Darroch, Royal Infirmary, Liverpool, 3.

Miss Janet Harrison

Miss Janet L. Harrison, assistant matron for many years and deputy matron for the past nine months, is retiring in May after over 35 years' service to Crumpsall Hospital. Will Crumpsall-trained nurses who wish to associate themselves with a presentation to Miss Harrison please send donations to Miss E. M. Hillier, matron, Crumpsall Hospital, Manchester, 8.

Miss M. Jardine

Miss M. Jardine, who has been in the service of the Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary for 35 years, latterly as Assistant Matron in charge of the Grove Hospital, is retiring in September. Will any former members of staff who wish to be associated with a gift to Miss Jardine kindly forward their contribution to Matron, Royal Infirmary, Dumfries.

Holiday Suggestions—II

HOLIDAYS IN BRITAIN

Golden Cap on the unspoilt Dorset coast.

IN the first part of this article we briefly surveyed those parts of Europe which are within reach—economic and physical—of many holidaymakers, but even in so doing we may have added to the wretched legend that no holiday is worth having that is not outside the United Kingdom. Nothing could be more false, for in our small island we have every conceivable scenery except desert, and a setting for every form of relaxation and diversion.

For anyone bound by their profession to be constantly thinking of their work, on and off duty, it is really important that a holiday should be right out of the ordinary. Let us be adventurous—what about a walking tour if we are not so rich as we ought to be? There are a number of organisations anxious to help as long as we write early enough. There are the splendid youth hostels for spending the night in an economical, if a little spartan, manner. Too much emphasis can be placed on luxury in holiday accommodation. Most people enjoy a comfortable bed for practically all the year so the absence of a feather mattress should not deter them. After a day's walking, any kind of bed will seem astonishingly luxurious.

If we walk we will find it better to take a train out to the area we are to explore. Apart from youth hostels, where a maximum stay of three nights is allowed, if we are to stay at the same place each night we should do well to stay at a hotel specially catering for walkers—there are many of them and some are remarkably cheap. By staying at one of these we will find packed lunches can be obtained.

Cycling is another form of holidaymaking much abused by those who have never indulged in it. It suffers, with walking, from being greatly dependent on the weather but it is gloriously carefree. Unlike walking it enables us to cover a great deal of country if we have a mind to but, in common with walking, it enables us to lounge about for any amount of time if the mood is with us. It is great fun to head for, say, North Wales, but simply turn off anywhere to spend an hour or a day in an unexpected place. We must be sure—unless we are bitten by the speed bug—that our cycle is comfortable and is not fitted with a tyrannical milometer. Cycling holidays can be cruel when a vicious timetable has been set (must make Oxford by 6 o'clock and then away again by 6.30) but if the whim and the weather are left to decide the route and the pace these holidays can be delightful.

The Youth Hostel at Castle Hedingham, Essex.

For a really exciting holiday, and a surprisingly inexpensive one, there is nothing to beat sailing, and, for the novice, there is nowhere in the world to beat the Norfolk Broads. If four complete novices (who should include two men) have studiously read textbooks on sailing, and listened attentively to the advice of the strikingly trustful boatman, they should enjoy themselves so utterly on their holiday that they will become appalling bores to all their acquaintances for months afterwards telling of their adventures. The mile upon mile of broads and rivers seem to change with the weather, one day allowing us to dream our way along with hardly a movement of the sails and the next letting us fly past at a spanking pace, reeds bending in sympathy to point the way to our evening's mooring.

Agricultural camps are a fairly recent innovation on our holiday lists. For the hard-up they are quite unbeatable as they ensure our returning from our holiday with more in our pockets than when we started. All the day-to-day plans for eating and sleeping are taken off our hands and, though a day spent in farmwork may not appeal to the lazy as an ideal holiday, anyone who has been to one of these camps will tell us of the fun to be derived from it—yes, even from lifting potatoes!—and there are always social events in the evenings. If it is a good dose of healthy open air that we are after an agricultural camp has much to offer.

If we feel in need of a more sophisticated holiday than any of the foregoing yet fight shy of a week or two in a crowded resort we should consider the charm of our less commercialised cities. Canterbury or York, Exeter or Lincoln, have much to offer and much to give us cause for pride, and perhaps the best way of enjoying a number of such cities (unless we have a car) is to tour by coach. Coach tours have soared into popularity lately and there is a lot to be said in their favour—especially if we want to boast of the number of towns or countries we have explored in our holiday! A constantly changing holiday with comfortable lodgings at night and helpful guides during the day can ensure that not a moment is lost of an all too short break.

Holiday camps have come in for more than their share of music hall jokes and too little of the praise that is due to them. In their favour they have the fact that the terms are 'all-in' and there is no fear of being left unhappily and unexpectedly short of money near the end of our stay, and they have a great appeal to the lonely. It is all too easy, if we holiday alone, to feel a bit lost—especially in bad weather—and bored with our own company. In most holiday camps it is quite easy to lead a hermitic or individualist life if we like but quite as easy to join in the high jinks and meet many other people as determined to enjoy themselves as we are. The only thing is, if we do join in with gusto, we must not expect to be rested at the end of the holiday; refreshed, yes, but rested, no!

We could perhaps mention briefly those holidays devoted to a hobby. There is a great deal of enjoyment to be had from such pursuits as bird watching, and specimen hunting for natural history. If we number these, or the collection of grasses, or the observing of cloud formations, among our off duty pursuits we will need no reminder but, if not, we could think of joining a society in the neighbourhood. Pot-holing in those parts of the country lucky enough to have pot holes and archaeological digging are other possibilities of tremendous interest.

Again, if we feel more active, we should consider canoeing — a delightful way of travelling up a river or canal. In this country we are lucky to have a large number of waterways quite suitable. Or,

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PREMATURE BABY (1lb 15oz)

Case History recorded by MRS. F. M. BALL, S.R.N., S.C.M., Matron, Bedford General Hospital (North Wing)

Ante-Natal History: Mother: Toxæmia of pregnancy. Rising B.P. and albuminuria which did not respond to treatment. Surgical induction, March 9.

Baby: born March 12, 2.45 p.m. Weight, 1 lb. 15 oz. Length 12 in. Head circumference 10½ in. Condition at birth, weak. Child placed in Oxygenaire, in specially prepared cot with hot-water bottles, and transferred to side room, as we had no premature babies' unit. Improvisation to maintain the humidity of the room was made by a sheet being draped from a sink containing water to a bowl on the floor. This was found to be very helpful.

As condition improved the cord was dressed and baby wrapped in cotton wool. Position changed 2-hourly; head of cot kept elevated. March 15: oxygen gradually discontinued—colour good. Tent left in position with lid open in case of need. After end of first week baby oiled and weighed on alternate days. Small woollen garments used instead of cotton wool. Clothing adjusted according to body temperature.

Method of Feeding: March 12: (First day) Sterile water by pipette, hourly. March 13: ¼ strength E.B.M., by pipette, hourly. March 14: Oesophageal feeds of ¼ strength E.B.M., 2-hourly. March 19: (seventh day): **Frailac** (Cow & Gate) substituted for E.B.M., source of supply having failed. April 14: Weight 3 lb. 3 oz. Alternate bottle and oesophageal feeds of **Frailac.** April 20: 3-hourly feeds of **Frailac.** May 1: 3-hourly feeds of **Frailac** by bottle, one night feed discontinued.

Thyroid gr. 1/10 was given b.d. for first five days. At three weeks Colliron m.2 was given daily and radiostoleum m.5 in one feed.

On April 2, when baby three weeks' old, condition deteriorated. Respiration rapid, colour poor, T. 105. ? Pneumonia. I.M.I. Penicillin 100,000 units given twice in 24 hours. Oxygen given. After four days the temperature became normal and was maintained.

For the next four weeks progress was uneventful, until May 9, when respirations again became rapid, T. 102. I.M.I. Penicillin 100,000 units given four-hourly for 36 hours. Condition improved.

May 15: Baby two months old: weight 5 lb. 7 oz. Transferred to main nursery after first bath. May 21: **Cow & Gate Half Cream** substituted for **Frailac** (Cow & Gate). Baby took feeds well. Condition satisfactory.

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perhaps, we could hire a motor launch and follow some of our better preserved canals for many miles between towns and villages; if we go in a party we could hire a barge and do the trip in more boisterous fashion.

If we live and work in the country we may decide to holiday in a town and in that case we should make sure we burrow into the library and learn as much as we can about the town to avoid wasting too much time finding where to go and what to see. Weeks could be spent in some of the national art galleries and museums and in the hundred and one 'sights' that the overseas visitor sees as a matter of course but which the native tends to postpone visiting. In the same way if we decide on the seaside it will be wise of us to look up the neighbourhood and the country we will be passing through on our way there so that we can get the maximum enjoyment with the minimum of effort and thought while we are away. There is little more humiliating than being asked on return 'What did you think of the castle?' and having to reply 'We didn't know there was one'. A little work before going will add enormously to the holiday.

Above all we must bear in mind our first precept—that we are searching for a change. Whether it be the superlative feeling of triumph on surmounting Snowdon or the glorious lethargy of sun-bathing at Blackpool we must give ourselves up to it utterly. We might even write a few postcards at home and take them with us so as to cheat the tyranny of correspondence. In fact our whole holiday is to be a sham, we shall cheat ourselves just for a while that we have nothing to do in the world but enjoy ourselves and we shall devote ourselves to that end with abandon. Then we will be refreshed to devote ourselves to work again.

D.J.S.

Solution to Patient's Crossword No. 22

Across. 2. Debussy. 7. Ludo. 8. Exit. 9. Scapula. 10. Glue. 11. Role. 12. Alpha. 14. Acorn. 17. Saint. 20. Attempt. 23. Belt. 24. Even. 25. Purse. 26. Swab. 29. Plug. 31. Untwine. 32. Team. 33. Axle. 34. Panther.

Down. 1. Fuel. 2. Dose. 3. Brawl. 4. Slush. 5. Year. 6. Jill. 12. Ant. 13. Asp. 15. Cue. 16. Rat. 18. Ate. 19. Nee. 21. Taunton. 22. Messiah. 27. Wren. 28. Bump. 29. Pear. 30. Ugly.

Prizewinners

1st prize, 10s. 6d., to Miss M. Lee, 79a, Whitney Road, Woolton, Liverpool. 2nd prize, a book, to Miss A. Burgess, 59, Church Street, Tewkesbury, Glos.

In Parliament

Infant Mortality in Wales

Mr. West (Pontypool) asked the Minister of Health on March 3 if he would state the infant mortality rate for Wales and Monmouthshire for the years 1951 and 1938. Mr. Crookshank replied that the infant mortality rate for Wales and Monmouthshire for the year 1938 was 57; the provisional rate for 1951 is estimated to have been 36.

Tuberculosis Deaths

Mr. West also asked the number of deaths from tuberculosis in Wales and Monmouthshire for the years 1951 and 1938. Mr. Crookshank said that the precise number of deaths from tuberculosis in Wales and Monmouthshire in 1951 was not yet known, but it was expected to be substantially below the number in 1950, which was 1,226 compared with 2,003 in 1938.

New Drug

Mr. Woodburn (Clackmannan and East Stirling) asked the Secretary of State for Scotland on March 4 whether his attention had been called to the hopeful results of the use of isonicotinic acid hydrazide in the treatment of tuberculosis: whether he could give an assurance that steps were being taken to test and follow up the possibilities claimed.

Mr. Stuart said there had been Press reports of results obtained in America. Under Medical Research Council auspices, laboratory tests of this and related drugs had already begun in this country.

Mental Defectives

Mrs. Elizabeth Braddock (Liverpool, Exchange) asked the Minister of Health on March 6 how many certified mental deficiency cases in Liverpool were awaiting admission to institutions; and, in view of the length of time some had been waiting, what special steps were being taken by the Liverpool regional hospitals board to deal with the matter.

Mr. Crookshank replied that the number of mental defectives in Liverpool awaiting admission to Institutions was 101. The Liverpool Regional Hospital Board had plans at a very advanced stage for building a new Institution, and plans for an extension to another institution were being examined though the rate at which building work could proceed must depend on the place that could be found for it in the general building programme.

Training Films

Mr. Gordon-Walker (Smethwick) asked the Minister of Health on March 6 what alternative means would be provided for the production of films now made by the Crown Film Unit for the training of hospital staffs. Mr. Crookshank said that any films it was decided to make for this purpose would no doubt normally be commissioned from documentary film companies.

Mr. Gordon-Walker also asked for an estimate of the cost of the alternative arrangements for showing training films in hospitals that do not have their own projectors. Mr. Crookshank replied that the cost would depend on the extent to which hospitals wished to make use of alternative arrangements, and no estimate was therefore possible.

Aged Chronic Sick

Mr. Murray (Durham, North-West) asked the Minister of Health on March 6 if he was aware of the shortage of hospital accommodation for aged and chronic sick in the Durham County Council area; and how he proposed to improve this situation.

Mr. Crookshank was aware of the shortage, but hoped that it would be possible to make an additional 34 beds available during this year.

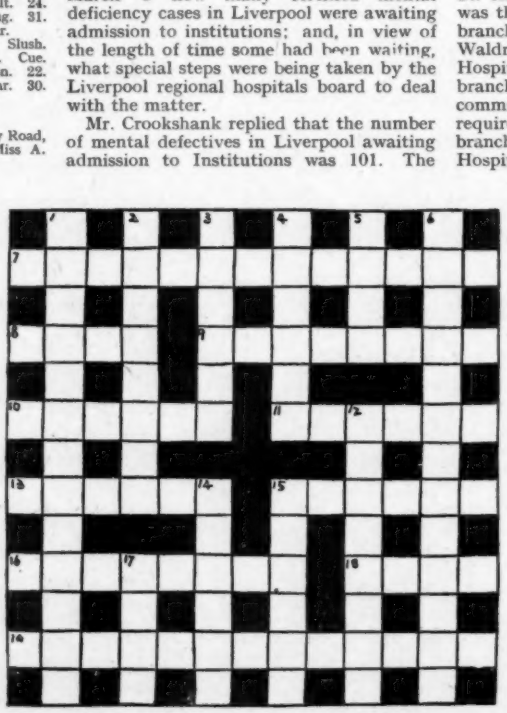
The Society of Mental Nurses

A meeting of the Nottingham Branch of the Society of Mental Nurses was held at St. Ann's Hospital on February 27, and was the first meeting of this newly formed branch. It was well attended. Mr. T. Waldrom, Principal Tutor, Mapperley Hospital, has been elected chairman of the branch, which has a strong and enthusiastic committee. Anyone living in this area who requires information should contact the branch secretary, whose address is St. Ann's Hospital, Thorneywood, Nottingham.

Overseas Crossword No. 16

PRIZES will be awarded to the senders of the first two correct solutions opened on June 23. The solution will be published in the following week. Solutions must reach this office by week ending June 21, addressed to 'Overseas Crossword No. 16,' Nursing Times, Macmillan and Co., Ltd., St. Martin's Street, W.C.2. Write name and address in block capitals in the space provided. Enclose no other communication with your entry.

The Editor cannot enter into correspondence corncerning the competition and her decision is final and legally binding.



Across. 7. Of no other plot can this situation be made (2,3,3,5). 8. Simple (4). 9. Too much of the medicine bottle perhaps (8). 10. Nervous if highly (6). 11. Nook (6). 13. Little Jessica (6). 15. If musical there is one too few (6). 16. Sounds like what we do when lacking fuel (8). 18. Pleasure! Not sure (4). 19. Exceed what is strictly right. Rather pointed (7,1,5).

Down. 1. You can get at these saints from them (13). 2. Do the University crews get them before the Boat Race? (3,5). 3. 'Wine is a mocker, —drink is raging' (Proverbs) (6). 4. Seem. A very quiet one (6). 5. Fifty in bed (4). 6. They make huge sores on us (5,8). 12. Winner. Feeling fine in Lancs. (8). 14. Been richer without beer (6). 15. This ties for accident cases (6). 17. Broken flue (4).

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Off Duty

The living room of the Old People's bungalow.

THE IDEAL HOME EXHIBITION.—*(Olympia, March 4-29)*

One moment you are in this world, the next in wonderland, as you pass through the doors into an avenue carpeted in vivid green, down each side of which is a colonnade of oriental spires of red and green topped by twinkling stars, and stretching away at the end of the Grand Hall an aerial bandstand looks as if a puff of wind would blow it away; here various military bands will play during the exhibition. Walking under this a little fearfully you come upon wide ironwork gates, the entrance to the Gardens of Music. Fifteen gardens cover nearly two acres with magical flowers—roses, cherry blossom, daffodils, crocus, carnations, azaleas and wistaria all mingling happily, irrespective of their normal flower-periods—the whole providing an oasis of peace.

A new feature this year is the complete village comprising 17 shops, all of which are open for custom, an inn and six houses, which are all fully furnished by women. Two houses of particular interest are examples of the Government 'People's House'. One has two bedrooms and is suitable for a family of four living in a town, and the other has three bedrooms for a family of five living in the country. In addition to these, the Government is showing an 'Old People's bungalow' which retains that independence and privacy so prized by elderly people. It is furnished with high-backed draught-excluding chairs, high beds, non-skid floor coverings and non-slip mats. The W.V.S. has again excelled itself in the furnishings for one of the houses erected by a private builder.

Caravans are in great demand today and out of this desire for a ready-made home has grown good design and workmanship, which is amply demonstrated in another new feature of the exhibition this year—a Caravan Town. One model expands from 7 ft. 6 in. to 10 ft. 6 in. to allow more living room when stationary, and another has a second storey. These vans, with their electric light, baths, toilets, and full size Calor gas cookers, have come a long way from their Romany ancestors. It has been estimated that 300,000 people live in caravans in Britain today.

In addition to these delights there is an Ideal Home bookshop; dress shows where all models shown will be available at stores all over the country this spring; a very gay children's section, including a playland where parents can safely leave their children while enjoying the exhibition quietly themselves; electricity and gas stands showing all the latest labour-saving devices; and a demonstration theatre where you can learn from famous chefs how to prepare a three-course meal for four in half an hour! Bedrooms of the past are on show, including Mr. Pickwick's comfortable if rather unhygienic chamber, and, last but by no means least, are the innumerable stands round the galleries showing every conceivable gadget from an electric tea-cosy to a tearless onion chopper!

At the Theatre

KING LEAR *(Old Vic)*.

In this interesting new production there is much to delight and ponder on. We are not so overwhelmed by the grandeur and tragedy of Stephen Murray's Lear as by the glittering wickedness of Freda Jackson's Goneril, Coral Browne's Regan, and Lee Montague's Edmund. Lear is more the foolish fond old man whose painful road to reality we share. The integrity and feeling of Kent, Gloucester and Edgar shine; Cordelia's quiet love is a gentle undercurrent, while the entirely new interpretation by Leo McKern of the Fool, who is everyone's second self, underlines the current theory that Shakespeare was often unaware of what he was writing. The beauty of the costumes was illuminated by the macabre setting. The melodrama was overstressed for some tastes; the sisters' fiendish laughter and their bodies as corner pieces in the last scene appeared a little ludicrous. But throughout the production the lovely lines emerge anew and though other productions may have appealed more to our emotions, one respects the courage of the producer and players in presenting yet another interpretation of this brilliant play.

NIGHTMARE ABBEY, *by Thomas Love Peacock, dramatised by Anthony Sharp (Westminster)*.

Thomas Love Peacock's debunking of early nineteenth century Gothic gloom, Romantic Love and transcendentalism, through the story of Scythrop (Alan MacNaughton) heir to the Lincolnshire Abbey of Nightmare, whose problem is 'how happy could I be with either, Were t'other dear charmer away', passes well onto the stage. Pure Peacock becomes a little tiring towards the end of the first act, but action and some mild clowning revive play and audience for a philosophical ending.

Charles Lloyd Pack as Mr. Glowry, Scythrop's father, is as fine and melancholy a gentleman as any in Lincoln*shire*, as he prefers to call it in true eighteenth century manner, and a good cast competently reproduce Peacock's irony.

AT THE CINEMA

The Greatest Show on Earth

The bustling circus life of Ringling Bros. and Barnum and Bailey is the background to rivalry between trapeze artists, accidents, crooks and a train smash, also the hunting of a man for murder. Starring Betty Hutton, Cornell Wilde, Charlton Heston, Dorothy Lamour and James Stewart.

Invitation

A semi-invalid, unaware that she has only a year to live, and reconciled to spinsterhood, is the heroine of this moving film. Her father, wishing her complete happiness during the short time she has left, bribes a struggling architect to marry her. Convincing performances from Dorothy McGuire as the invalid daughter, Van Johnson as her husband and Ruth Roman as the jealous girl friend.

A Streetcar Named Desire

This film is played against the background of a very unlovely section of American Society in the old French quarter of New Orleans and concerns two sisters and the husband of one of them. It is a violent, neurotic, sordid and unhappy story, beautifully played by its principals—Vivien Leigh, Kim Hunter, Marlon Brando and Karl Malden. If you can stand seeing life in the raw you should not miss it.

The Card

The progress of Edward Henry Machin through life (assisting his fate for all he is worth) brings him triumph. Everything he touches turns to his advantage and his charm, personality, luck and shrewdness earn him the liking of all, from duchess to footman. Starring Alec Guiness, Glynis Johns, Valerie Hobson and Petula Clark. It is all great fun so do not miss it.

Starlift

Korean wounded are entertained by Hollywood stars in hospital. We see the ups and downs of the love story of a starlet and the picture is packed full of guest stars too numerous to specify. Heading the cast are Doris Day, Gordon Macrea, Virginia Mayo, Gene Nelson and Ruth Roman.

Red Skies of Montana

As the foreman is the sole survivor when a crew of parachute firefighters get trapped doing their job, the son of one of the victims suspects him of deserting his men. That is the theme of the story. The background of training the crews, watching for forest fires and dealing with them is both exciting and interesting. The film is well acted, and stars Richard Widmark, Constance Smith and Jeffrey Hunter.

I Believe in You

Bored by leisure, having retired from the Colonial Service at 40, Henry Phipps applies to the Home Office for a post as Probation Officer and is accepted. This is a very moving film indeed and the handling of the varied cases by the officers shows their love of humanity and practical sympathy for the many problems of the people who come before the courts. The film has humour as well as pathos and is superbly acted by a long cast of stars headed by Cecil Parker, Celia Johnson, Godfrey Tearle, Harvey Fowler, George Ralph and Ada Reeve (making a come-back at 75).

Royal College of Nursing

World Organisations and the Nurse

Applications to attend the conference on *World Organisations and the Nurse* should be received by the Conference Secretary at the Royal College of Nursing by March 22. See the *Nursing Times*, February 23, page 196.

Branches Standing Committee

At the quarterly meeting to be held in the Nurses Home, St. Luke's Hospital, Bradford, on April 4 and 5 (see *Nursing Times*, March 1, page 220), the following resolutions will be discussed: (i) representation on College Council (Folkestone Branch); (ii) Whitley Council scales of salaries (Boston Branch); (iii) male nurses in female wards (Sunderland Branch). Members are reminded that the meetings will begin at 2 p.m. on Friday and at 1.30 p.m. on Saturday, April 4 and 5.

Education Department

A refresher course for Public Health Nurse Administrators and Tutors will be held from September 15—19. (See Supplement (i).)

Scottish Board

The Scottish Board of the Royal College of Nursing are anxious to help Scottish Health Visitors wishing to prepare themselves for the Royal College of Nursing Certificate in the Teaching of Parentcraft by organising courses at suitable centres during the coming autumn.

This can only be done if those concerned make their need known in good time. Anyone interested should write without delay to the Tutor, The Royal College of Nursing, Scottish Board, 44, Heriot Row, Edinburgh, 3, giving her name and address, the name of her employing authority and any other relevant information.

Sister Tutor Section

The following have been nominated for the election to the Central Sectional Committee.

Miss E. J. Bocock, The Royal Free Hospital, London, W.C.1.
Miss M. F. Dixon, Royal Victoria Infirmary, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Miss B. I. R. Dodwell, Manchester Royal Infirmary, Manchester.
Miss H. Evans, United Sheffield Hospitals School of Nursing, Sheffield, 10.
Miss M. Hill, The London Hospital, London, E.1.
Miss D. L. Holland, Guy's Hospital, London, S.E.1.
Miss A. G. Notman, Woodlands, Ivybridge, South Devon.
Miss L. M. Scott, The Royal Infirmary, Bradford.
Miss L. E. Snelson, The Royal Southern Hospital, Liverpool, 8.
Miss V. L. A. Tomsett, Buchanan Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex.
Miss M. A. Townsend, 48, Claremont Road, Bishopston, Bristol, 7.

Public Health Section

The Central Sectional Committee is arranging a dinner in the Cowdray Hall at 7 p.m. on Friday, April 18, when the guest of honour will be Mrs. A. A. Woodman, M.B.E. Mrs. Woodman has been Chairman of the College Council since September 1949, and this is the first time a public health nurse has held this office.

The dinner will be for Section members only and it will be necessary to limit the numbers to 50. Afternoon dress will be worn and tickets will be 15s. each. Will members wishing to attend please apply, enclosing remittance, to the Secretary of the Public Health Section, before March 29.

Quarterly Meeting and Conference

The Quarterly Meeting of the Public Health Section will be held at the College at 10.45 a.m. on Saturday, April 19, and will be preceded by a meeting of Section Secretaries at 9.30 a.m. Luncheon will be served at 12 noon at D. H. Evans' Restaurant and at 2.15 p.m. an Open Conference will be held in the Cowdray Hall, on *The Health Centre as a Social Experiment*. Dr. J. A. Scott, Medical Officer of Health, London County Council, has very kindly agreed to take the Chair and the speakers will be Dr. M. Sorsby, Member of the General Medical Services Committee, and Dr. H. Kenneth Cowan, Medical Officer of Health, Essex.

Fees: conference, morning coffee, luncheon and tea, 10s. 6d., conference and tea only, 4s. 6d., conference only, 3s. Will member and their friends who wish to attend please apply, enclosing remittance, to the Secretary, Public Health Section, Royal College of Nursing, Henrietta Place, London, W.1, before Saturday, March 29.

Scottish Regional Committee

An open meeting of Section members and friends has been arranged to take place at Drygrange Hotel, Melrose, Roxburghshire, on Saturday, April 19, at 3.30 p.m. Miss F. N. Udell, O.B.E., Chief Nursing Officer, Colonial Office, will speak on *The Expert Committee on Nursing*. The chair will be taken by Miss C. Keachie, Chairman, Scottish Regional Committee. Tea will be served. There will be a registration fee of 3s. for members, and a charge of 4s. for non-members, payable at the door. Members wishing to spend the night or the weekend at Drygrange should write to Miss Ferguson, Warden, mentioning this meeting. A service bus leaves St. Andrew's Square, Edinburgh, for Jedburgh via Earlston at 11.30 a.m. and passes the side entrance to Drygrange about 1.10 p.m. There will also be a special bus from Edinburgh, and those wishing to travel by it are asked to write to Miss Robb, 91, Joppa Road, Portobello (Secretary, Edinburgh Public Health Section) for time of departure and fare. A special bus will also leave City Chambers, George Square, Glasgow, at 12.15 p.m. Fare 10s. 6d.

Kindly notify the Secretary, not later than April 7, if you wish to travel by the special bus.

Ward and Departmental Sisters Section

Ward and Departmental Sisters Section within the Cardiff Branch.—A meeting will be held at Cardiff Royal Infirmary, on **Tuesday, March 25,** at 7 p.m. Miss E. Skellern, Cassel Hospital, Ham Common, Richmond, will give a talk on *The Practical Application to Ward Administration of Modern Methods in the Handling and Instruction of Staff*. It has also been arranged to hold a whist drive on **Friday, April 25,** to augment the funds of the Section. Tickets 2s. each including refreshments.

Branch Notices

Belfast Branch.—A general meeting will be held in the Nurses Home, City Hospital, Belfast, on **Tuesday, March 25,** at 7.30 p.m. to receive report from delegate to the conference on *The Mental Health Services*; to consider the agenda for Branches Standing Committee meeting; and to hear the policies of candidates for election to Council.

Blackpool and District Branch.—A meeting will be held at the Victoria Hospital, Blackpool, on **Monday, March 24,** at 7 p.m., to discuss the agenda for the Branches Standing Committee meeting.

Bradford Branch.—Members who wish to attend the reception at the Royal Infirmary on **April 5** in connection with the quarterly meetings should apply to the Lady Superintendent for invitation cards.

Croydon and District Branch.—The annual general meeting will be held at Mayday Hospital, Thornton Heath (Croydon) on **Monday, March 24,** at 7.30 p.m. when the names of the honorary officers and new executive members will be announced, to be followed at 8.30 p.m. by a talk on *The Re-introduction of the Social Casualty into his Community*, by Paul De Berker, Esq., Dip. Psych., Ch.B., B.Litt.(Oxon.). This talk will be based on the Industrial Rehabilitation Unit at Glasgow, and non-members will be welcome.

Glasgow Branch.—A general meeting will be held in the Scottish Nurses Club, 2[illegible] Bath Street, on **Thursday, March 27,** at 7.30 p.m. Tea will be available.

Harrow, Wembley and District Branch.—A general meeting will be held at Wembley Hospital, on **Thursday, March 27,** at 8.15 p.m.

Hastings and District Branch.—A general meeting will be held at The Buchanan Hospital, by kind permission of the Matron, on **Thursday, March 27,** at 7.15 p.m. The agenda and resolutions for the Branches Standing Committee will be considered.

Leicester Branch.—A general meeting will be held at Leicester Royal Infirmary on **Wednesday, March 26,** at 5.30 p.m. Executive committee meeting at 4.45 p.m.

Redhill, Reigate and District Branch.—A general meeting will be held at the County Hospital, Redhill, on **Tuesday, March 25,** at 8.30 p.m., to consider the resolutions from the Branches, and to receive a report of the Mental Health Services Conference. This will be preceded by a meeting of the executive committee at 7.30 p.m.

St. Albans Branch.—There will be a general meeting at the Sisters Hospital, Folly Road, on **Wednesday, March 26,** at 7.30 p.m. R.S.V.P. to Miss Thyer, Hon. Secretary, by Tuesday, March 25. Travel: 391A bus to Osterhills Hospital: turn back to first turning on right.

Scarborough Branch.—A meeting will be held in Scarborough Hospital on **Friday, March 21,** at 7.30 p.m., to consider the resolutions for the Branches Standing Committee meeting at Bradford.

North Western Metropolitan Branch.—A general meeting will be held at the Nurses

COUNCIL CANDIDATES

Come and hear the policies of candidates nominated for election to the Council of the Royal College of Nursing, at the Cowdray Hall on Saturday, March 29, at 2.30 p.m.

Home, The Royal Masonic Hospital, Ravenscourt Park, W.6, on **Thursday, March 27,** at 6.15 p.m., when Mrs. Caradoc Evans will give a report on the Nations' Nurses Conference No. 11, *The Mental Health Services.* Travel directions: three minutes' walk from Stamford Brook Station (District Line).

Membership forms for the College may be obtained from the General Secretary, Royal College of Nursing, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, W.1, or local Branch Secretaries.

Educational Fund Appeal

A performance, arranged by the Edinburgh Branch in aid of the Educational Fund Appeal, of *Young Wives' Tale,* a comedy by Ronald Jeans, will be presented by the Bank of Scotland Dramatic Society at the Little Theatre, The Pleasance, Edinburgh, on Wednesday, April 16, at 7.30 p.m. Tickets, price 5s., 3s. 6d. and 2s. 6d., all reserved, can be obtained from Miss J. S. Cuthill, Orthopaedic Department, Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh.

MEMBERSHIP OF THE COWDRAY CLUB

As a result of enquiries, we have been asked to remind readers that membership of the Royal College of Nursing does not of itself entitle nurses to membership of the Cowdray Club. Subscription rates to the latter are, however, very reasonable, and the Club is particularly glad to consider applications from College members who will find it very convenient, as it adjoins the College and is in a good central position in the West End.

Public Health Bulletin

The Quarterly Bulletin of the Public Health Section of the Royal College of Nursing is being sent to the World Health Organisation Library, at the request of the Medical Librarian. The WHO *Chronicle* will be sent to the Public Health Section in exchange.

NURSES APPEAL COMMITTEE

'Isn't it cold!' we have been saying to each other. It has been chilly, and we have shivered except when in a warm room. What must it be like to be without enough money for fuel when through old age or poor health one has to be indoors most of the time. The extra shillings that are required for heating purposes often take some finding for some of our frail and older colleagues. It is painful to think of them shivering because their scanty incomes cannot meet the expense of sufficient coal, gas or electricity to ensure a comfortable fireside all day long. If you are warm yourself at home or in hospital, please share your comfort with others by sending a donation.

Contributions for week ending March 15

	£	s.	d.
Nursing staff, Clayton Hospital, Wakefield. From monthly collections	4	10	0
Miss A. E. Bodger		10	6
College No. 23711	1	0	0
Miss L. Arnold		10	0
Miss E. J. Pattinson	1	10	0
Miss H. J. Tebbutt	1	0	0
Total	£9	0	6

W. SPICER, Secretary, Nurses Appeal Committee, Royal College of Nursing, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, London.

News from Northern Ireland

THE Nursing Exhibition is being held this week in Belfast, and the Appeal Council has taken a section in the exhibition to promote interest in the Appeal.

The three Branches in the Province have held their annual meetings during the past month. Attendances at the meetings were very good and the annual reports and financial statements submitted by the honorary officers were most satisfactory. Memberships in the Londonderry and Omagh areas have remained fairly steady, but it is regretted, however, that the membership of the Belfast Branch appears to show a drop in figures.

At the annual luncheon of the Belfast Branch, members were addressed by Dr. F. Montgomery, M.C., M.B., F.F.R., D.M.R.E., Chairman of the Hospitals Authority. Dr. Montgomery appealed to members of the nursing profession to support the College. He advocated the advantages of post-registration education but made a special plea to nurses to keep before them the practical aspects of their work. He felt it would be a tremendous advantage if senior nursing personnel were given one week's study leave in their old hospital, during which time they could be free to think about the practical problems and the nursing of the patients. In fact, he stated that the Authority would welcome such a recommendation.

Representatives of the Student Nurses' Association read their annual reports at the Branch meeting. It is felt that this procedure creates a closer liaison between the Association and the College.

Mrs. Ian McClure was elected President for a second term of office. Mrs. McClure has given untiring service to the Branch and to the Appeal Fund during the past year.

BRANCH ACTIVITIES

Harrow, Wembley and District

The annual general meeting was held at Wembley Hospital on March 3. Lady Braithewaite, the president, took the chair. The following honorary officers were elected: chairman, Miss M. Bendall; vice-chairman, Mrs. Grenville Mathers; hon. treasurer, Miss E. Solomon; hon. secretary, Miss Burdett, and Branch representative, Miss K. P. Johnston. Executive committee: Miss A. M. Woods, Mrs. Nott Cock, Miss Caldecourt, Miss M. A. Dawson, Miss Harrison, Mrs. Maroney, Miss Long, Miss Potter, Miss Parrott, Miss M. A. Williams and Miss Warren.

Leicester

The annual meeting was held at Leicester Royal Infirmary on Wednesday, March 12. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Brymer; Chairman, Miss Richards; Vice-chairman, Miss Hornsby; Representative, Miss Ahern; hon. treasurer, Miss Lane; new members of the executive committee, the Misses Ashton, McAlister, and Worsley.

A very interesting address on her work was given by Miss D. C. Bridges, R.R.C.

North Eastern Metropolitan

The fourth annual general meeting of the North Eastern Metropolitan Branch which was held in February at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, E.C.1, was very well attended. The short service which preceded the meeting was appreciated by all members. Refreshments were provided afterwards by matron and her staff.

Redhill, Reigate and District

The annual general meeting was held on Tuesday, March 11, at Fonthill, Reigate, and the Branch was pleased to welcome Mrs. H. M. Blair-Fish and several visiting members. In the absence of the President, the Lady Howard de Walden, the Vice-president, Mr. Wood-Smith, took the Chair. Miss Buck, Chairman of the Branch, said in her address that 1951 had seen the completion of the Educational Fund Appeal target, in fact more than £1,000 had been collected, and there was still a little more in hand. She thanked all those who had worked so hard, in so many ways, to achieve this. The membership was again rising; the Secretary had reported six new members had joined the Branch since the annual report was completed; this she felt was most encouraging.

The results of the election for the executive committee were read out by the Secretary, and the Committee for 1952 would be as follows:

President, The Lady Howard de Walden; Vice-president, Mr. Wood-Smith; Chairman, Deputy Representative, Miss Buck; Hon. Secretary, Miss Bridge; (all re-elected); Hon. Treasurer, Miss Harman (elected), Representative, Miss Huxtable, Assistant Secretary, Miss Greenfield (both re-elected). Other members: Miss Nicholls, Miss Harris, Miss Jortan, Miss Billinghurst, Miss Cusworth (all re-elected); Miss Dallard, Miss Burdett (both elected).

Mrs. Blair-Fish spoke on the work of the College, especially as a representative organisation. She told a very apt little story that might be a fitting answer to the familiar query 'What does the College do?' Her talk was much enjoyed. The meeting ended with votes of thanks, and everyone adjourned for refreshments at the invitation of Mrs. Fletcher, Superintendent of Fonthill.

St. Albans

The St. Albans Branch held its second annual dinner since its formation seven years ago, on Friday, February 22, at the Sisters Hospital, by kind permission of the Hospital Management Committee. Forty-six members and friends gathered to meet the Earl of Verulam who took the Chair and proposed the toast of the Royal College of Nursing and Miss Udell, O.B.E., who replied to the toast. Miss MacDonald, Branch Chairman, acted as Toastmaster. 'Our Guests' was proposed by Miss Else, Matron, West Herts Hospital and answered by Mr. Thompson, Mayor of St. Albans; other guests included The Dean and Mrs. Thickness and Mrs. Thompson. The evening was a great success and the Secretary has been asked to make it an annual event.

On Wednesday, March 5, the annual general meeting was held at St. Albans City Hospital by kind permission of Miss Corbett. There was a record attendance of members. Miss Arch was elected Chairman, Miss Thyer re-elected Secretary, and Miss Else re-elected Treasurer. Other members of the Committee were Miss MacDonald, Miss Cooke, Miss West, Mrs. Ross, Miss Gordon, and Miss Mayho. The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were adopted and thanks were expressed to both members for the work they had done in the previous year.

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be s together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonia TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accorda with the appropriate National scales.

LONDON

SISTER TUTOR IN SOLE CHARGE

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, E.9 (Fevers—246 beds) Res. S.R.N., R.F.N. Qualified Tutor preferred.

SISTER TUTOR

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, E.1 (General — 455 beds) Res. or non-res. To take charge of P.T.S.

SUPERINTENDENT MIDWIFE

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—530 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. For Part I Training School.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, E.3 (General—154 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., R.M.N.

HOME SISTER

Queen Mary's Hospital for the East End, West Ham Lane, Stratford, E.15 (General and Maternity—163 beds) Res. Responsible for the administration of the Nurses' Home, comfort and welfare of the staff, and in addition, clinical and administrative duties in connection with the nursing services of the Hospital.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

St. George-in-the-East Hospital, Raine Street, E.1 (General—200 beds) Res.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, E.3 (General—154 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

NIGHT SISTERS

South Lodge Hospital, Werld's End Lane, N.21 (T.B., Fever, E.N.T., General Surgical—218 beds) Res. or non-res.

St. Ann's General Hospital (formerly North Eastern), St. Ann's Road, Tottenham, N.15 (412 beds at present available) Res. or non-res. Six months' appointment. One of four, including Night Superintendent.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—530 beds) Res. or non-res.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

German Hospital, Ritson Road, E.8 (General — 218 beds) Res. S.R.N., S.C.M. With administrative experience.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 917 beds) Res. or non-res. Junior post, 140 Maternity beds at North Middlesex Hospital and Annexe.

THEATRE SISTERS

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds) Res.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 917 beds) Res. or non-res. To work under Theatre Superintendent.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—530 beds) Res. or non-res.

WARD SISTERS

St. George-in-the-East Hospital, Raine Street, E.1 (General—200 beds) Res. or non-res. For Medical Wards.

Connaught Hospital, Orford Road, Walthamstow, E.17 (General—118 beds) Res. or non-res. For Casualty Department, to work under Sister-in-Charge of Out-Patients' Department and Casualty Department.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, E.13 (Acute Medical and Infectious Diseases—179 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., T.A., or R.F.N. For Chest Wards.

St. Ann's General Hospital (formerly North Eastern), St. Ann's Road, Tottenham, N.15 (412 beds at present available) Res. or non-res. R.F.N. For Infectious Diseases Wards.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, E.3 (General—154 beds) Res. or non-res.

East End Maternity Hospital, 384/398 Commercial Road, E.1 (Part I Training School—60 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M., G. and A. Certificate. Prepared to assist in training of Pupil Midwives. **TWO** required.

Metropolitan Hospital, Kingsland Road, E.8 (147 beds) Res. For Female Medical Ward.

Langthorne Hospital, Langthorne Road, E.11 (Geriatric Unit—700 beds) Res. or non-res. (Whole-time and part-time).

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 917 beds) Res. or non-res. For Male Medical Ward.

STAFF MIDWIVES

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 917 beds) Res. or non-res.

Finchley Maternity Annexe (North Middlesex Hospital), The Bishop's Avenue, Finchley, N.2 (38 beds) Res. or non-res.

Thorpe Coombe Maternity Hospital, Walthamstow, E.17 (54 beds) Res. S.R.N., S.C.M., with good experience, for alternate Day and Night duty.

THEATRE STAFF NURSE (FEMALE)

South Lodge Hospital, World's End Lane, N.21 (Fevers, T.B., E.N.T., Surgical—218 beds) Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, E.1 (General—455 beds) Res. or non-res.

St. George-in-the-East Hospital, Raine Street, E.1 (General—200 beds) Res. or non-res. For Medical and Surgical Wards, Out-Patients' Department and Theatre, and General Wards.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 917 bers) Res. or non-res.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—530 beds) Res. or non-res.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds) Res. or non-res. For Day duty. (**ONE** for Night duty).

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, E.3 (General—154 beds) Res. or non-res.

German Hospital, Ritson Road, E.8 (General—218 beds) Res. or non-res.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, E.9 (Fevers — 246 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. or R.F.N.

South Lodge Hospital, World's End Lane, N.21 (Fevers, T.B., E.N.T., Surgical—218 beds) Res. or non-res. T.B., Fevers and General Nursing.

Connaught Hospital, Orford Road, Walthamstow, E.17 (General—118 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. required for Out-Patients' and Casualty Departments.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, E.13 (Acute Medical and Infectious Diseases—179 beds) Res. or non-res. T.A. or R.F.N. for Fever and Chest Wards.

St. Ann's General Hospital (formerly North Eastern), St. Ann's Road, Tottenham, N.15 (412 beds at present available) Res. or non-res. T.A. Certificate. For T.B. Wards shortly to be opened.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

South Lodge Hospital, World's End Lane, N.21 (Fevers, T.B., E.N.T., Surgical—218 beds) Non-res. T.B., Fevers, and General Nursing.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, E.9 (Fevers—246 beds) Res. or non-res. T.A. Certificate.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds) Non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds) Res. or non-res. Full-time or part-time.

St. George-in-the-East Hospital, Raine Street, E.1 (General—200 beds) Non-res.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 917 beds) Non-res.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, E.3 (General—154 beds) Res. or non-res.

Southgate Annexe (North Middlesex Hospital), Tottenhall Road, N.13 (Female Chronic—73 beds) Non-res.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, E.9 (Fevers—246 beds) Res. or non-res. For Tuberculosis Wards.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, E.13 (Acute Medical and Infectious Diseases—179 beds) Res. or non-res. For Fever and Chest Wards.

St. Ann's General Hospital (formerly North Eastern), St. Ann's Road, Tottenham, N.15 (412 beds at present available) Res. or non-res. For T.B. Wards shortly to be opened.

Prince of Wales' General Hospital, Tottenham, N.15. **ONE** required for Convalescent Home at Nazeing, Essex (30 beds). Res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

St. George-in-the-East Hospital, Raine Street, E.1 (General—200 beds) Res. or non-res. For Tuberculosis Ward.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, E.9 (Fevers—246 beds) Res. or non-res. T.B. Wards.

ESSEX

SISTER TUTORS

Chelmsford School of Nursing (900 beds) **TWO** qualified Sister Tutors required immediately. One for St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford (409 beds) and One for Chelmsford and Essex Hospital, London Road, Chelmsford (160 beds). **For full particulars apply to Matron at the appropriate Hospital.**

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (550 beds) Res. In charge of Theatres; General and Orthopaedic Surgery.

NIGHT SISTERS

St. Michael's Hospital, Rayne Road, Braintree, Essex (Acute Medical and Chronic — 201 beds) Res. **IN SOLE CHARGE.**

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds) Res. or non-res. One of three.

King George Hospital, Eastern Avenue Ilford, Essex (General—215 beds) Res. or non-res. Junior post.

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (603 beds) Res. or non-res. **URGENTLY REQUIRED.**

MIDWIFERY SISTER

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, Essex (General and Infectious Diseases—General Training School—247 beds) Res.

THEATRE SISTERS

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, Essex (General and Infectious Diseases—General Training School—247 beds) Res. or non-res.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—718 beds) Res.

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—50 beds) Res. or non-res.

Harold Wood Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School — 421 beds) Res. or non-res. Day and night duty.

WARD SISTERS

St. Faith's Hospital, London Road, Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epileptics, Female—437 beds—Medical and Post-Surgical Unit — 29 beds) Res. or non-res. **TWO** S.R.N. required, one for Children's Ward.

Harold Court Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (Tuberculosis Women — 62 beds) Res. or non-res. General duties.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds) Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Wards. Also **ONE** Junior Ward Sister required.

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, Essex (General and Infectious Diseases — beds) (General Training School) **ONE** for Infectious Diseases Block.

Harold Wood Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School — beds) Res. or non-res. For day and night duty.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—718 beds) Res. Also **ONE** required for Eye Unit.

St. Mary's Hospital, 14 Pope's Lane, Colchester, Essex (Chronic Sick—Assistant Nurse Training School—139 beds) Res.

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Sanatorium — 100 beds) Res. S.R.N. T.A. Certificate and Thoracic Surgical experience desirable.

St. Michael's Hospital, Rayne Road, Braintree, Essex (Acute Medical and Chronic—201 beds) Res. or non-res.

RELIEF SISTERS

Essex County Hospital, Colchester, Essex (351 beds and 2 Ancillary Units) Res. For administrative duties. Good experience in office routine. Ward Sister's experience essential.

Clacton and District Hospital, Freeland Road, Clacton-on-Sea, Essex (58 beds) For Holiday Relief duty commencing May, 1952. Res. or non-res.

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (603 beds) Res. or non-res.

Myland Hospital, Colchester, Essex (General and T.B.—154 beds) Res. For administrative duties. Good experience in office routine. Ward Sister's experience essential.

STAFF MIDWIVES

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds) Res. or non-res. 96-bedded unit. Part I Training School.

W. J. Courtauld Hospital, Braintree, Essex (General—Maternity Unit — beds) Res.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Essex (General Training School for Nurses with modern Maternity Unit of 32 beds—beds) Res or non-res. Good experience and conditions; 48-hour week. Sixteen miles from London.

Colchester Maternity Hospital, 32 Lexden Road, Colchester, Essex (63 beds) Res.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (General—44 beds) Res. S.R.N.

Harold Wood Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School — beds) Res. or non-res. Day and Night duty.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds) Res. or non-res. **TWO** required for Children's Ward.

Harold Court Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (Tuberculosis Women — 62 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued.

ESSEX—Contd.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Continued—

St. Faith's Hospital, London Road, Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epileptics, Female—437 beds—Medical and Post-Surgical Unit—29 beds) Res. or non-res. **THREE** required.

High Wood Hospital for Children, Brentwood, Essex (T.B. Children — 267 beds) Res. or non-res.

Jubilee Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (General—54 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (General — 44 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (Assistant Nurses Training School—50 beds) Res. or non-res.

General Hospital, Prittlewell Chase, Southend-on-Sea, Essex (255 beds) Res. or non-res. For Relief duties in Casualty and Out-Patients' Department principally. Busy Departments.

Waltham Abbey War Memorial Hospital, Farm Hill Road, Waltham Abbey, Essex (General Acute — 24 beds) Res. **THREE** required. Hospital on bus route. Close to London and Green Belt. Good Nurses' Home.

Honey Lane Hospital, Waltham Abbey, Essex (120 beds) Res. or non-res. For T.B. Wards. Good conditions. Modern buildings. 48-hour week. Sixteen miles from London.

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Sanatorium—100 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. or T.A. Certificate.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

High Wood Hospital for Children, Brentwood, Essex (Tuberculosis Children —267 beds) Res. or non-res. Opportunity to take T.A. Certificate.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Chronic Sick — Assistant Nurse Training School—339 beds) Res. or non-res.

Harold Court Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (Tuberculosis, Women — 62 beds) Res. or non-res.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds) Res. or non-res.

St. Peter's Hospital, Maldon, Essex (188 beds) Res. or non-res. For Chronic Sick Wards.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Chest Hospital—308 beds) Res. or non-res. To qualify for T.A. Certificate. **FOUR** required.

St. Faith's Hospital, London Road, Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epileptics, Female—437 beds; Medical and Post-Surgical Unit — 29 beds) Res. or non-res. **TWO** required.

St. Michael's Hospital, Rayne Road, Braintree Essex (Acute Medical and Chronic—201 beds) Res. or non-res.

Harold Wood Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School — 421 beds) Res. or non-res.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (General—44 beds) Res. or non-res.

Waltham Abbey War Memorial Hospital, Farm Hill Road, Waltham Abbey, Essex (General Acute — 24 beds) Res. **THREE** required. Hospital on bus route. Close to London and Green Belt. Good Nurses' Home.

Colchester Maternity Hospital, 32 Lexden Road, Colchester, Essex (63 beds) Res.

Clacton and District Hospital, Freeland Road, Clacton-on-Sea, Essex (58 beds) Res. or non-res.

Honey Lane Hospital, Waltham Abbey, Essex (120 beds) Res. or non-res. For Male T.B. Ward of 26 beds, also for Medical Ward newly opening. Good conditions. Modern buildings, 48-hour week, 16 miles London.

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Sanatorium—100 beds) Res. or non-res.

Jubilee Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (General—54 beds) Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Chronic Sick — Assistant Nurse Training School—339 beds) Non-res.

St. Mary's Hospital, 14 Pope's Lane, Colchester, Essex (Chronic Sick—Assistant Nurse Training School—139 beds) Res.

Honey Lane Hospital, Waltham Abbey, Essex (120 beds) Non-res. Good conditions, modern buildings, 48-hour week, 16 miles London.

MIDDLESEX

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield (Chronic—310 beds).

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 62 beds) Res. For Theatre duties.

NIGHT SISTERS

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chronic—310 beds) Non-res.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 550 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 550 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Also **ONE** for Premature Baby Unit. Previous similar experience necessary.

MIDDLESEX—contd.

WARD SISTERS

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middx (Chronic — 310 beds) Res. or non-res.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 62 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. for Children's Ward.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 550 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middx (Chronic — 310 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—550 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. For General and Theatre, also **ONE** with Ophthalmic experience.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 62 beds) Res. or non-res. **ONE** to relieve Night Sister.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—550 beds) Non-res. To alternate Day and Night duty.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—550 beds) Res. or non-res. Enrolled or awaiting enrolment.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middx (Chronic — 310 beds) Res. or non-res.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 62 beds) Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 550 beds) Non-res. Enrolled or awaiting enrolment.

HERTFORDSHIRE

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts (General—171 beds) Res. or non-res. Vacancy occurs at end of April.

NIGHT SISTER

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts (General—171 beds) Res. or non-res. Second Night Sister.

STAFF MIDWIFE

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts (General—171 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. (22 Maternity beds).

THEATRE STAFF NURSE

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts (General—171 beds) Res. or non-res. Night duty relief.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Cheshunt Cottage Hospital, Church Lane, Cheshunt, Herts (General — 16 beds) Res. or non-res.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

WARD SISTER

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, E.3 (Psychiatric Unit—36 beds; Female Observation Ward—12 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., R.M.N.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Neurosis Unit of 20 beds) Res. or non-res. Should have R.M.P.A. or R.M.N. **ONE** required.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, E.3 (Psychiatric Unit — 36 beds, and Female Observation Ward—12 beds) Res. or non-res. R.M.N. and preferably experienced in Insulin and E.C. treatment.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 917 beds) Non-res.

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (603 beds) Res. or non-res. For Female Observation Ward.

Claybury Mental Hospital, Woodford Bridge, Woodford Green, Essex (2,468 beds) Res. or non-res. (33)

THE NATIONAL HOSPITAL, QUEEN SQUARE LONDON, W.C.1

The post of **Administrative Sister** (one of three Assistant Matrons) becomes vacant in April.

Particulars and form of application may be obtained from the Matron. (1551)

STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL, AYLESBURY

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Assistant Home Sister.** Modern Nurses' Home (360 bedrooms).

Particulars and forms of application from Matron. (2191)

PEWSEY HOSPITAL, PEWSEY, WILTS

(For Mental Defectives)

Applications are invited for the undermentioned posts at the above Hospital:

Ward Sisters.

Night Sister in Sole Charge.

The Hospital has a total bed complement of 450 (males over 16—180, females and males under 16—270), provides accommodation for all grades of mental defectives. It is approved by the General Nursing Council as a Nurse Training School. It is proposed to increase the bed complement of this Hospital and extend the Nurse Training School accordingly in the near future.

Qualifications, salary and conditions of service are as laid down in the recommendations of the Nurses and Midwives Council of the Health Service.

Applications, stating age, qualifications, details of previous service and names of referees, should be addressed to the Physician Superintendent, from whom further particulars may be obtained. (2154)

DEWSBURY, BATLEY AND MIRFIELD HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Vacancies exist at the following Hospitals:—

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, CARLINGHOW HILL, BATLEY
(102 Beds)

Night Superintendent, Female.
Junior Sisters (Male and Female Wards).
State Registered Nurses, Male or Female.
State Enrolled Assistant Nurses, Male or Female.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, MOORLANDS ROAD, DEWSBURY
(119 Beds)

Second Night Sister with Theatre experience.
Staff Nurse for General Theatre.
Staff Nurse for Children's Ward, S.R.N., S.R.C.N.
Night Sister for Mirfield Memorial Hospital (18 beds).
(Apply Matron, The General Hospital, Dewsbury).

STAINCLIFFE GENERAL HOSPITAL, HEALDS ROAD, DEWSBURY
(316 Beds)

Experienced Theatre Sister.
Holiday Relief Sister.
Staff Midwives.
Assistant Nurses for Wards—long-stay cases.

Applications should be made in writing to the Matron of the Hospital concerned, giving details of age, qualifications and experience, as soon as possible. (1917)

NATIONAL HEART HOSPITAL

WESTMORELAND STREET, LONDON, W.1

Night Sister required for Country Branch at Maids Moreton, Buckingham. Apply to Matron at Westmoreland Street. (2306)

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be ... together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. Sala... are in accordance with the appropriate National scales.

LONDON

HOME SISTER

King Edward Memorial Hospital, Ealing, W.13 (General—169 beds) Res. Must have held Ward Sister's post.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street and Queen Square, W.C.1 (General—170 beds) Res. Similar previous experience desirable.

NIGHT SISTERS

Royal Northern Hospital, Holloway, N.7 (General—287 beds) Res. or non-res. For General Hospital, to work under Night Superintendent.

King Edward Memorial Hospital, Ealing, W.13 (General—169 beds) Res. Second Night Sister.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

City of London Maternity Hospital, Hanley Road, N.4 (52 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

WARD SISTERS

Hendon Isolation Hospital, Goldsmith Avenue, N.W.9 (112 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and R.F.N. required for day and night duty. A modern Hospital. within easy distance of the City and West End of London.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street and Queen Square, W.C.1 (General—170 beds) Res. For Medical Ward.

RELIEF SISTERS

King Edward Memorial Hospital, Ealing, W.13 (General—169 beds) Res. For Relief duty.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street and Queen Square, W.C.1 (General—170 beds) Res.

STAFF MIDWIVES

City of London Maternity Hospital, Hanley Road, N.4 (52 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

DOMICILIARY MIDWIFE

Maternity Nursing Association, 63 Myddelton Square, E.C.1. Res. With some experience in teaching Pupil Midwives.

THEATRE STAFF NURSE

Highlands Hospital, Winchmore Hill, N.21 (General—818 beds) Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Royal Northern Hospital, Holloway, N.7 (General — 287 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. for St. David's Wing for Private patients.

Highlands Hospital, Winchmore Hill, N.21 (General—818 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, N.12 (General—84 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. For Permanent Staff and Holiday Relief.

King Edward Memorial Hospital, Ealing, W.13 (General—169 beds) Res. For Casualty Department and Wards.

Coppetts Wood Hospital, Coppetts Road, Muswell Hill, N.10 (Infectious Diseases — 144 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. or R.F.N. Staff Nurses can do one year's fever training.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, W.10 (General—583 beds) Res.

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, N.W.10 (Acute General — 850 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Required for X-ray Department, Casualty Department, Out-Patients' Department.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street and Queen Square, W.C.1 (General—170 beds) Res.

Marie Curie Hospital, 66 Fitzjohn's Avenue, N.W.3 (50 beds) Res. or non-res.

Hendon Isolation Hospital, Goldsmith Avenue, N.W.9 (112 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and R.F.N. required for day and night duty. A modern Hospital within easy distance of the City and West End of London.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Highlands Hospital, Winchmore Hill, N.21 (General—818 beds) Res. or non-res.

Coppetts Wood Hospital, Coppetts Road, Muswell Hill, N.10 (Infectious Diseases—144 beds) Res. or non-res.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, N.12 (General—84 beds) Res. or non-res. **ONE** for permanent staff. **TWO** for Holiday Relief.

Clayponds Hospital, South Ealing, W.5 (Orthopaedic—44 beds) Res. preferred.

Hendon Isolation Hospital, Goldsmith Avenue, N.W.9 (112 beds) Res. or non-res. Required for day and night duty. A modern Hospital within easy distance of the City and West End of London.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Highlands Hospital, Winchmore Hill, N.21 (General—818 beds) Res. or non-res.

BEDFORDSHIRE

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing) Kempston Road, Bedford (201 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and S.C.M.

NIGHT SISTER

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing) Kempston Road, Bedford (201 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and S.C.M. Junior.

THEATRE SISTER

Bedfordshire Sanatorium, Mogerhanger Park, Nr. Bedford (72 beds) Res. or non-res. Preferably with knowledge of radiography.

WARD SISTER

Luton and Dunstable Hospital, Luton, Beds. (250 beds) Res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Female Surgical Ward. Preference given to applicant with previous Ward Sister's experience.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing) Kempston Road, Bedford (201 beds) Res. or non-res. For General Wards.

Steppingley Hospital, Nr. Bedford (Infectious Diseases and Convalescent — 42 beds) Res. R.F.N.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing) Kimbolton Road, Bedford (225 beds) Res. or non-res. **TWO** for Theatre duties (Gynaecological).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Clapham Hospital, Nr. Bedford (Chronic Sick—100 beds) Res. or non-res.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing) Kimbolton Road, Bedford (225 beds) Res. or non-res. With T.A. Certificate for T.B. Wards. Also required for Maternity Unit.

Steppingley Hospital, Nr. Bedford (Infectious Diseases and Convalescent — 42 beds) Res. Also **ONE** for Night duty. Res. or non-res.

Biggleswade Hospital, Potton Road, Biggleswade, Beds (44 beds) Res. or non-res.

Bedfordshire Sanatorium, Mogerhanger Park, Nr. Bedford (72 beds) Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Clapham Hospital, Nr Bedford (Chronic Sick—100 beds) Non-res.

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE

STAFF MIDWIVES

Colinswood Maternity Home, Farnham Common, Slough, Bucks (21 beds) Res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Danesswood Sanatorium (Orthodox-Jewish Institution), Aspley Heath, Woburn Sands, Bletchley, Bucks (32 beds) Res. or non-res.

BERKSHIRE

STAFF MIDWIFE

H.R.H. Princess Christian Maternity Home, Alma Road, Windsor, Berks (11 beds) Res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Nr. Maidenhead, Berks (General —307 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and T.A. Certificate. For Female Tuberculosis Ward to be opened shortly.

Pinewood Hospital, Nine Mile Ride, Wokingham, Berks (Tuberculosis — 218 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Required for one year's post-graduate training for T.A. Certificate. All modern forms of treatment. The Hospital is situated in pleasant surroundings. Daily transport provided to and from Wokingham, and certain facilities for shopping in Reading. Half-hourly train service from Wokingham to Waterloo.

Heatherwood Orthopaedic Hospital, Ascot, Berks (232 beds) Res. Orthopaedic training available.

Maidenhead St. Mark's Hospital, St. Mark's Road, Maidenhead, Berks (157 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Pinewood Hospital, Nine Mile Ride, Wokingham, Berks (Tuberculosis — ... beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Required for one year's post-graduate training ... T.A. Certificate. All modern forms ... treatment. The Hospital is situated ... pleasant surroundings. Daily transport provided to and from Wokingham, ... certain facilities for shopping in Reading. Half-hourly train service from Wokingham to Waterloo.

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Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Nr. Maidenhead, Berks (General —307 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and Juvenile Rheumatism Wards, and Tuberculosis Ward opening shortly.

Heatherwood Orthopaedic Hospital, Ascot, Berks (232 beds) Res.

Maidenhead St. Mark's Hospital, St. Mark's Road, Maidenhead, Berks (157 beds) Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Maidenhead St. Mark's Hospital, St. Mark's Road, Maidenhead, Berks (157 beds) Res. or non-res.

MIDDLESEX

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER (ADMINISTRATIVE)

Teddington, Hampton Wick and District Memorial Hospital, Teddington, Middlesex (51 beds) Res. S.R.N. with administrative experience an advantage. (To assist Matron).

WARD SISTERS

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middlesex (Chest Hospital and Regional Centre for Thoracic Surgery—630 beds) Res. or non-res. Preferably with T.A. Certificate or tuberculosis experience, but not essential. For Surgical Wards. **TWO** required.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,000 beds) Non-res. For Night duty.

Grim's Dyke Rehabilitation Unit, Old Redding, Harrow Weald, Middlesex (Male Convalescent Tuberculosis—50 beds) Res. Tuberculosis Certificate or experience required. Some night duty.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Potters Bar, Middlesex (Modern General Hospital of 57 beds, including Private Wards) Res. For Women and Children's Ward.

RELIEF SISTER

Northwood, Pinner and District Hospital, Pinner Road, Northwood, Middlesex (36 beds) For Holiday Relief, April—October. Res. or non-res.

NIGHT SISTERS

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (380 beds open at present—Complete Training School) Night Superintendent and two Night Sisters in establishment.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Chiswick Maternity Unit, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (70 beds, 55 cots) Non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (100 beds, 93 cots) Non-res. S.R.N. and S.C.M.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,000 beds) Non-res. General Wards, Geriatric Wards, T.B. Wards, Theatre, and internal ambulances.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middlesex (Chest Hospital and Regional Centre for Thoracic Surgery — 630 beds) **General Section:** For Medical and Surgical Wards and Theatre. Res. Also Staff Nurses, S.R.N. and/or T.A. Certificate only, and for post-graduate training for T.A. Certificate. Res. or non-res.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex. For Day and Night duty in Radiotherapy Wards. Hospital situated in lovely surroundings, 15 miles N.W. of London. Frequent trains to Baker Street.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Potters Bar, Middlesex (Modern General Hospital of 57 beds, including Private Wards) Res. S.R.N.

Brentford Hospital, Boston Manor Road, Brentford, Middlesex (Small General—33 beds) Res. preferred. S.R.N.

South Middlesex Hospital, Magdon Lane, Isleworth, Middlesex (Fever — 144 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and R.F.N.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (100 beds, 93 cots) Non-res. S.R.N.

Chiswick Maternity Unit, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (70 beds, 55 cots) Non-res. S.R.N.

Teddington, Hampton Wick and District Memorial Hospital, Teddington, Middlesex (51 beds) Res. or non-res. For General Ward and Relief duty.

AMBULANCE NURSES (FEMALE)

Queen Mary Maternity Unit, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth. Non-res. For Maternity ambulance. S.R.N., S.C.M.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,000 beds) Non-res. T.B. Wards and Geriatric Wards, and internal ambulances.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middlesex (Chest Hospital and Regional Centre for Thoracic Surgery—630 beds) Res. or non-res. Also Assistant Nurses, res., for **General Section:** Medical and Surgical Wards.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Potters Bar, Middlesex (Modern General Hospital of 57 beds, including Private Wards. Res.

Brentford Hospital, Boston Manor Road, Brentford, Middlesex (Small General—33 beds) Res. preferred.

South Middlesex Hospital, Magdon Lane, Isleworth, Middlesex (Fever — 144 beds) Res. or non-res.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (100 beds, 93 cots) Non-res.

Chiswick Maternity Unit, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (70 beds, 55 cots) Non-res.

Hounslow Hospital, Staines Road, Hounslow, Middlesex (General Acute—... beds) Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Cottage Hospital, Hanwell, Middlesex (Small General—24 beds) Res. For day or night duty.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,000 beds) Non-res.

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued.

HERTFORDSHIRE

SISTER TUTOR

West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts (General—170 beds) Res. or non-res. Preliminary Training School. For May.

NIGHT SISTERS

Barnet General Hospital, Barnet, Herts (478 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts (General—170 beds) Res. or non-res. Second Night Sister.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

St. Albans City Hospital (Sisters' Wing), Folly Avenue, St. Albans, Herts (84 beds) Res. With administrative experience.

MIDWIFERY SISTER

Welwyn Garden City Maternity Hospital, Peartree Lane, Welwyn Garden City, Herts (30 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Part II Training School, affiliated to Maternity Nursing Association, Mydleton Square, E.C.1.

THEATRE SISTERS

Barnet General Hospital, Barnet, Herts (General — 478 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

St. Albans City Hospital (Mid-Herts Wing), Church Crescent, St. Albans, Herts (110 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. S.C.M. preferred. Required for end of April. To work under Departmental Sister.

WARD SISTERS

West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts (General—170 beds) Res. or non-res. For Male Surgical Ward, Acute —28 beds.

RELIEF SISTERS

Barnet General Hospital, Barnet, Herts (478 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Victoria Maternity Hospital (Part I Training School and Maternity Unit of Barnet General Hospital), Wood Street, Barnet, Herts (48 beds, and 22 beds at Barnet General Hospital) S.R.N., S.C.M. Res. or non-res.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Barnet, Herts (Chest Hospital — 542 beds) S.R.N. For Theatre duties in busy Thoracic Unit. Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Barnet General Hospital, Barnet, Herts (478 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. For Theatre and for general Ward duties.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Barnet, Herts (Chest Hospital — 542 beds) S.R.N. and/or T.A. Certificate. Also Staff Nurses for post-graduate training for T.A. Certificate. Res. or non-res.

St. Albans City Hospital (Mid-Herts Wing), Church Crescent, St. Albans, Herts (110 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N. For a new Out-Patients' Department opening shortly.

Welwyn Garden City Cottage Hospital, Welwyn Garden City, Herts (17 beds) Res. Should be prepared to relieve Night Sister. For small General Hospital, 20 miles from London, with interesting medical and surgical work. Television in Nurses' sitting room.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts (General—88 beds) Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Barnet, Herts (Chest Hospital — 542 beds) S.R.N. and/or T.A. Certificate. Also Staff Nurses for post-graduate training for T.A. Certificate. Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts (General—88 beds) Res. or non-res.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Barnet, Herts (Chest Hospital — 542 beds) Res. or non-res. For duties on Women's and Children's Wards.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

Applications for vacancies under this heading should be addressed to the Matron unless otherwise stated.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

St. Bernard's Hospital for Nervous and Mental Diseases, Southall, Middlesex (2,400 beds) Res. or non-res.

Friern Hospital, New Southgate, N.11 (For Nervous and Mental Disorders—1,402 beds) Res. or non-res.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE)

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,000 beds) Non-res. For Mental Observation Unit.

St. Bernard's Hospital for Nervous and Mental Diseases, Southall, Middlesex (2,400 beds) Res. or non-res. Preferably with one year's Hospital nursing experience.

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LEEDS (A) GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the undermentioned appointments. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations.

ST JAMES'S HOSPITAL (SOUTH), BECKETT STREET, LEEDS, 9
(1,194 Beds)

Theatre Sisters.
Night Sisters for General Wards.
Staff Nurses for General Wards.

COOKRIDGE HOSPITAL, COOKRIDGE, LEEDS, 6
(101 Beds)

Female State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.
Female Pupil Assistant Nurses.

JEWISH HERZL MOSER HOSPITAL, LEOPOLD STREET, LEEDS, 7
(34 Beds)

Staff Nurse.
Female Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

Applications or requests for further information for any of the above posts should be forwarded to the Matron of the appropriate Hospital. (73)

BINGLEY, KEIGHLEY, SKIPTON AND SETTLE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications for the following appointments should be sent, together with particulars and names for reference, to the Matron of the appropriate Hospital. Nurses and Midwives Council salaries and conditions.

SKIPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, SKIPTON
(64 Beds)

Relief Sister (S.R.N., S.C.M.).
Sister for Female Ward (S.R.N., S.C.M.).
Theatre Staff Nurse.
S.E.A.N. Resident or non-resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, KEIGHLEY
(Maternity Unit—29 Beds; Chronic Sick Patients—195 Beds)

Sisters for Female Wards.
Staff Nurses, Male or Female.
Staff Midwife, S.C.M.
S.E.A.N. Male or Female.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, KEIGHLEY
(146 Beds)
(Complete Training School for Nurses in conjunction with Bingley Hospital)

Night Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M.
Children's Ward Sister, S.R.N. (S.R.C.N. an advantage).
Staff Nurses for:—
Female Medical and Surgical Ward.
Casualty and Out-Patient Clinics.
To assist Night Sister. (Must be S.R.N., S.C.M.).
S.E.A.N. (Female), resident or non-resident, for Private Wards and Female Medical and Surgical Ward.

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PONTEFRACT AND CASTLEFORD HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

PONTEFRACT INFIRMARY, SOUTHGATE, PONTEFRACT

Night Sister required to work in conjunction with the Night Superintendent. 37 General Hospital of 100 beds. Excellent experience and training for senior

Applications, giving full details, to the Matron.

NORTHGATE LODGE, PONTEFRACT

Staff Nurses, Ward Sisters and S.E.A.N.s for Chronic Sick Wards.
Applications, giving full details, to the Matron, Pontefract Infirmary.

W. BOWRING,
Secretary.
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READING AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

STAFF VACANCIES

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES
(244 Beds)

Training School for British Tuberculosis Association Cert. Approved by G.N.C. for secondment of Nurses from General Hospitals. Participating in a scheme for General Group Training.

Theatre Superintendent.
Staff Nurses.
Assistant Nurses, Male and Female.
Student Nurses, Male and Female.

DELLWOOD MATERNITY HOME, READING (17 Beds)

Staff Midwives.
State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

NEWBURY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, NEWBURY, BERKS
(89 Beds)

2 Sisters for Night duty.
Junior Sister, Men's Ward.
Staff Nurse, Children's Ward.
S.E.A.N. Nurses.
Student Nurses.

SANDLEFORD HOSPITAL, NEWBURY, BERKS (132 Beds)

Night Sister in Sole Charge.
Ward Sister.
Midwifery Sister.
Staff Midwife.
Assistant Nurses, Male or Female.

WOKINGHAM HOSPITAL, WOKINGHAM, BERKS (139 Beds)

Night Sister.
Staff Nurse.
Assistant Nurses, Male or Female.

SAINT GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, WALLINGFORD
(27 Maternity Beds)

Midwives.

TOWNLANDS HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES

Relief Night Sister.

Apply to Matron of the Hospital concerned, giving names for reference.

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READING AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

GROUP TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES

STAFF VACANCIES

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING (403 Beds)

Theatre Sister for E.N.T. Theatre and Ward Relief.
Experienced Sister, S. R. N., R.S.C.N., required to take charge of busy Children's Department.
Staff Nurses for Ophthalmic Ward and General Theatre and General Wards and Private Patients.
Holiday Sister for Blagrave Hospital.
Junior Sister and Staff Nurse for Blagrave Hospital.
Staff Nurse for Children's Ward.
Trained Nursery Nurse for Children's Ward.

BATTLE HOSPITAL, READING (364 Beds)

New Part II Midwifery Training Unit
Staff Midwives, day and night duty.
Holiday Relief Sister.
Nursery Nurses.
Nursery Nurses for Children's Orthopaedic Ward.
Second Night Sister.
New Accident and Orthopaedic Ward Junior Theatre Sister.
Staff Nurses, General Wards.
S.E.A.N.s, day or night duty.

PROSPECT PARK HOSPITAL, READING (104 Beds)

State Registered Nurses.
State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

Apply to Matron of the Hospital concerned, giving names for reference.

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SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, togeth with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Ma of the appropriate hospital, from whom further details may be obtained.

ASSISTANT MATRON

Willesborough Hospital, Near Ashford (General—137 beds).

SISTER TUTORS

All Saints' Hospital, Chatham (General —369 beds) (Res. or non-res. Full or part-time. Second post).

West Kent General Hospital, Maidstone (135 beds) (Qualified Tutor preferred. Consideration given to suitably experienced Sister contemplating taking Tutor's Diploma. Post to assist Principal Sister Tutor in proposed Group training).

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER (THEATRE)

Southern Hospital, Dartford (General—350 beds).

HOME SISTER

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (350 staffed beds) (Possession of Housekeeping Certificate an advantage).

NIGHT SISTERS IN SOLE CHARGE

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds) (Ophthalmic Cert. or experience in the special work essential).

General Hospital, Ramsgate (101 beds) (Res. or non-res.).

NIGHT SISTERS

Sheppey General Hospital, Minster (125 beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M.).

All Saints' Hospital, Chatham (General —369 beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M.).

Gravesend and North Kent Hospital, Gravesend (General—146 beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M. Res. or non-res.).

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (General—137 beds).

Edenbridge and District War Memorial Hospital, Edenbridge (35 beds).

Kent and Sussex Hospital, Tunbridge Wells (350 beds) (Required from 29-5-52. Theatre experience essential).

WARD SISTERS

Erith and District Hospital, Park Crescent, Erith (General — 50 beds) (For General Wards).

Children's Heart Hospital, West Wickham (80 beds) (S.R.N. or R.S.C.N.). (Res. or non-res.).

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (350 staffed beds) (S.R.N., R.F.N. or S.R.N. only).

Southern Hospital, Dartford (350 staffed beds).

Gravesend and North Kent Hospital, Gravesend (General—146 beds) (For busy O.P. Dept. Res. or non-res.

KENT

Pembury Hospital, Pembury, Nr. Tunbridge Wells (General—624 beds) (Male Surgical Ward).

Hothfield Hospital, near Ashford (Chronic Sick—133 beds) (For administrative duties).

WARD SISTERS (THEATRE)

Royal Victoria Hospital, Dover (General—66 beds).

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (350 staffed beds) (Junior post, to work under present Departmental Sister).

General Hospital, Ramsgate (101 beds).

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Rochester (Acute — 201 beds) (S.R.N. with good Staff Nurse's or Sister's experience).

All Saints' Hospital, Chatham (General —369 beds) (For duty in Maternity Unit).

Erith and District Hospital, Park Crescent, Erith (General — 50 beds) (For Medical and Surgical Wards, also for Night duty).

Metropolitan Convalescent Home for Children, Broadstairs (90 beds at present in use) (Non-resident).

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds) (For Theatre).

Bexley and Welling Hospital, Upton Road, Bexleyheath (General—26 beds).

Royal Victoria Hospital, Dover (66 beds) (One for Theatre).

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (350 staffed beds) (S.R.N. or R.F.N.).

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (General—137 beds) (One for Women's Medical Ward and one for Theatre).

Lennard Hospitals, Bromley (229 beds) (R.F.N.).

General Hospital, Margate (132 beds) (For theatre).

BECKENHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL BECKENHAM

(40 Beds)

STAFF MIDWIVES

Vacancies for **Four Staff Midwives** at this Part I Training School.

Applicants must be S.R.N., S.C.M. The Hospital is situated 25 minutes from the West End of London.

Forms of application can be obtained from the Matron.

HILL HOUSE HOSPITAL MINSTER, Nr. RAMSGATE

WARD SISTER

Ward Sister (resident or non-resident) required for Dermatological Unit of 12 beds shortly to be opened at the above Hospital.

The Hospital is within easy reach of Ramsgate, Margate and Broadstairs, and has a modern and well-equipped Nurses' Home and Social Club.

Applications, giving full particulars, should be sent to the Matron as soon as possible.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Southern Hospital, Dartford (General—350 beds).

Bow Arrow Hospital, Dartford (120 beds) (For Tuberculosis Nursing. Extra £10 per annum for additional qualification of T.A. Cert.).

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (General —350 beds) (Including one for Theatre. Full and part-time).

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds) (S.R.N. For one year's special experience. Certificate given).

Farnborough Hospital, Farnborough (General—650 beds) (T.A. Cert. for T.B. Unit).

Linton Hospital, Near Maidstone (Chronic Sick—312 beds) (Res. or non-res. Whole or part-time).

Lenham Sanatorium, Lenham, Near Maidstone (T.B. — 170 beds) (S.R.N. Training of one year for T.A. Certificate, and one with Theatre experience).

Isolation Hospital, Haine, Near Ramsgate (76 available beds) (S.R.N., R.F.N. Res. or non-res.).

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (200 beds at present in use for Surgical T.B.) (Res. or non-res.).

Victoria Home for Invalid Children, Margate (60 beds) (Res. or non-res.).

Hothfield Hospital, Near Ashford (Chronic—133 beds) (Two posts).

Pembury Hospital, Pembury, Nr. Tunbridge Wells (General—624 beds) (Orthopaedic Theatre).

Kent and Sussex Hospital, Tunbridge Wells (350 beds) (One for Casualty and O.P. Dept., and one for Gynaecological and Obstetrical Ward).

MIDWIFERY SISTER

Risley Maternity Hospital, Horton Kirby, Near Dartford (8 beds) (Must be S.R.N.).

STAFF MIDWIVES

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (General —350 beds).

Hainault Maternity Hospital, Lesney Park Road, Erith (22 beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only).

Willesborough Hospital, Near Ash (General—147 beds) (30-bed Unit) (T posts).

Royal Victoria Hospital, Folkes (General—153 beds) (Res. or non-res.

Russell Stoneham Maternity Hos Perry Street, Crayford (Maternity beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only

Northfields Maternity Home, Lan Nr. Tunbridge Wells (22 beds) (S.R S.C.M.).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Beckenham Maternity Hospital, Beck ham (40 beds) (Part I Training Sch Vacancies occur 1st May, 1st August, November).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (Gen —350 beds).

Linton Hospital, Linton, Nr. Maid (312 Chronic Sick beds) (Res. or res.).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Bow Arrow Hospital, Dartford (beds).

Southern Hospital, Dartford (Gene 350 beds).

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (Ge —350 beds).

Infectious Diseases Hospital, Dover beds).

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Folkestone (Chronic Sick—352 beds

Farnborough Hospital, Farnbo (General—650 beds) (For General Wa

Linton Hospital, Near Maid (Chronic Sick—312 beds) (Res. or res.).

West View Hospital, Tonb (Chronic Sick—107 beds) (Non-res.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford staffed beds).

Lennard Hospitals, Bromley (229 b

Northfields Maternity Home, Lan Near Tunbridge Wells (22 beds) Night duty).

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ram (132 beds—at present in use for Ch Sick and accommodation for 78 patients; Dermatological Unit of 12 shortly to be opened) (Res. or non-

Victoria Hospital, Deal (General beds).

Princess Mary's Hospital, Margate beds) (Rehabilitation Hospital Women). (Res. or non-res.).

Hothfield Hospital, Near Ash (Chronic—133 beds).

Pembury Hospital, Pembury, Nr. bridge Wells (624 beds).

Capel Hospital, Capel, Near Tun (45 beds).

Sheppey General Hospital, Minster beds).

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES (IN SOUTH-EAST LONDON, KENT AND EAST SUSSEX)

NIGHT SISTER

Leybourne Grange Colony, West Malling, Kent (1,335 beds) Mental or Mental Deficiency).

WARD SISTERS

Darenth Park Mental Deficiency Institution, Nr. Dartford, Kent (1,800 beds) (Qualified).

Hill House M.D. Colony, Rye Hill, Rye, Sussex (100 beds).

Leybourne Grange Colony, West Malling, Kent (1,335 b des) Mental or Mental Deficiency).

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (Mental Observation Unit of 82 beds) (Non-resident).

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Darenth Park Mental Deficiency Institution, Nr. Dartford, Kent (1,800 beds).

Stone House Mental Hospital, Nr Dartford, Kent (550 beds).

Hellingly Mental Hospital, Hailsham, Sussex (1,500 beds).

Farnborough Hospital, Farnborough, Kent (General — 650 staffed beds) (R.M.P.A. or R.M.N. Psychiatric Unit).

Hill House M.D. Colony, Rye Hill, Rye, Sussex (100 beds).

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (Mental Observation Unit of 82 beds).

NURSING ASSISTANTS (MALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (Mental Observation Unit of 82 beds) (Non-resident).

NURSING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE)

Farnborough Hospital, Farnbo Kent (General — 650 beds) (Cl (Psychiatric Unit).

Hill House M.D. Colony, Rye Hill, Sussex (100 beds).

St. Francis Hospital, Constance S.E.22 (Mental Observation Unit beds) (Non-resident).

Eastry Hospital, Sandwich, Kent tal—195 beds).

SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Children's Hospital, Sydenham Road, S.E.26 (100 beds) (Required in April).

Park Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (Infectious Diseases and General) (S.R.N., R.F.N. Vacant 4-5-52).

PRINCIPAL SISTER TUTOR

St. Nicholas Hospital, Tewson Road, S.E.18 (General — 345 beds) (Modern Teaching Department. Apply to Matron as soon as possible).

SISTER TUTOR

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General — 532 beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M., and recognised Diploma. To assist Principal Sister Tutor).

NIGHT SISTERS

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18 (General and Infectious Diseases—624 beds) (S.R.N., R.F.N. and S.C.M.).

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, Lewisham, S.E.13 (General — 112 beds) (Vacant 1-5-52).

WARD SISTERS

Memorial Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.18 (General — 137 beds) (S.R.N., S.R.C.N. For Children's Ward).

Park Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (Infectious Diseases and General) (S.R.N., R.F.N. Interested in teaching of Fever Students. Ward Sister's salary plus £30 per annum).

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (180 beds) (S.R.N. Previous experience desirable. Surgical Ward).

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General — 504 beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M. Male Medical Ward).

WARD SISTER (THEATRE)

Albert Dock Seamen's Hospital, Ainwick Road, E.16 (Orthopaedic and Traumatic) (S.R.N.).

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

Green Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12 (401 beds) (S.R.N., T.A. Cert. an advantage).

Memorial Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.18 (General—137 beds) (For Surgical Ward).

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (180 beds) (S.R.N. Experience in wards and departments. Required from May for about six months. Ward Sister's salary).

SOUTH-EAST LONDON

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (Chronic Sick — 538 beds) (For Chronic Sick Wards. Res. or non-res.).

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18 (General and Infectious Diseases—624 beds) (For Medical Wards)

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18 (General and Infectious Diseases — 624 beds) (For Infectious Diseases Ward. S.R.N., R.F.N. or R.F.N. only).

Park Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (Infectious Diseases and General) (S.R.N. or R.F.N.).

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12 (401 beds) (S.R.N. or T.A. Certificate. Whole-time or Part-time).

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General and Chronic Sick — 780 beds) (For duties in General Wards, Theatre, Chronic Sick, T.B. Wards).

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich High Road, S.E.10 (180 beds) (S.R.N. Residents preferred).

St. Nicholas Hospital, Tewson Road, S.E.18 (General—345 beds).

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—611 beds).

Eltham and Mottingham Hospital, Passey Place, S.E.9 (General—42 beds) (For alternate day and night duty).

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18 (Infectious Diseases and General — 624 beds) (For Female T.B. Ward).

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (Chronic Sick — 538 beds) (For Chronic Sick Wards).

Memorial Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.18 (General—137 beds) (For Female Surgical Wards).

Eltham and Mottingham Hospital, Passey Place, S.E.9 (General—42 beds) (For O.P. Dept.).

Park Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (General and Infectious Diseases) (Two for Theatre).

Albert Dock Seamen's Hospital, Ainwick Road, E.16 (Orthopaedic and Traumatic) (S.R.N. One for wards and one for Theatre).

POST-GRADUATE COURSES FOR TRAINED NURSES

Park Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (Infectious Diseases and General) (S.R.N.s offered one year's training in fever nursing for the qualification of R.F.N.).

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12 (401 beds) (Six months course for S.R.N.s in Thoracic Surgery Unit, or one year's training for T.A. Certificate. Staff Nurse salary scale, plus allowance of £15 on completion of each period of six months' service).

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18 (General and Infectious Diseases — 624 beds) (For one year's Fever Training).

St. Nicholas Hospital, Tewson Road, Plumstead, S.E.18 (General — 345 beds) (Six months' theatre experience or six months in Casualty and O.P. Dept.).

Memorial Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.18 (General—137 beds) (Six months' theatre experience, or in Casualty and O.P. Dept.).

MIDWIFERY SISTER

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—504 beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M.).

STAFF MIDWIVES

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—532 beds) (S.R.N., S.C.M.).

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—611 beds, including 64 Maternity beds) (Part II Training School). (S.R.N., S.C.M.).

British Hospital for Mothers and Babies, Samuel Street, Woolwich, S.E.18 (70 beds) (Part I Training School. Experience given in all depts., including Premature Baby Unit. Facilities given for Midwife Teacher's Diploma).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (S.R.N.s for Part I Midwifery Training Course. Next course commences 1st May, 1952).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18 (General and Infectious Diseases—624 beds) (Non-res.).

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General and Chronic Sick — 780 beds) (Non-resident).

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (Chronic Sick—538 beds) (Res. or non-res.).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18 (General and Infectious Diseases—624 beds).

Park Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (Infectious Diseases and General).

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18 (General and Infectious Diseases — 624 beds) (For Female T.B. Ward).

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General and Chronic Sick — 780 beds) (For duties in General, Chronic Sick, T.B. and Maternity Wards).

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich High Road, S.E.10 (180 beds).

Goldie Leigh Hospital, Abbey Wood, S.E.2 (250 beds) (Special Hospital for Children).

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (Chronic Sick—538 beds) (Res. or non-res.).

BROOK GENERAL HOSPITAL SHOOTER'S HILL ROAD, S.E.18

(100 Beds — Modern Cubicle Wards)

INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNIT

STAFF NURSES, S.R.N., R.F.N. or R.F.N. only.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES for State Registered Nurses. One year's Fever Training.

THORACIC SURGERY UNIT

New Wards for Thoracic Surgery are being opened, and the following staff are urgently needed:—

STAFF NURSES (Male and Female).
ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (Male and Female).
POST-GRADUATE COURSES for State Registered Nurses, six months' in the Neuro-Surgical Unit.

The Hospital is within easy reach of London. Green Line coaches pass the gates. Modern and well-equipped Nurses' Home and Social Club.

Applications, giving full particulars, should be sent to the Matron as soon as possible.

EAST SUSSEX

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

Royal Alexandra Hospital for Sick Children, Brighton, 1 (140 beds) (With bookkeeping experience).

NIGHT SISTERS

Leaf Hospital, St. Anne's Road, Eastbourne (31 beds—including 24 for Gynaecology).

Hove General Hospital, Hove, 3 (75 beds).

Queen Victoria Hospital, East Grinstead (250 beds) (Plastic Surgery Nursing, from 1st April, 1952).

WARD SISTERS

Leaf Hospital, St. Anne's Road, Eastbourne (31 beds—including 24 for Gynaecology).

Haywards Heath Hospital, Haywards Heath (50 beds).

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTER

Leaf Hospital, St. Anne's Road, Eastbourne (31 beds—including 24 for Gynaecology).

EAST SUSSEX—Continued

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

St. Helen's Hospital, Hastings (General—452 beds) (For Medical and Children's Wards. One post).

Royal East Sussex Hospital, Hastings (General — 150 beds) One for Private Wards and one Ophthalmic Dept.).

Hastings Isolation Hospital, Hastings (79 beds) (One for I.D. Wards and one for T.B. Ward).

Bexhill Hospital, Bexhill-on-Sea (General—62 beds) (Women's Surgical Ward. One post).

EAST SUSSEX—Continued

Haywards Heath Hospital, Haywards Heath (50 beds).

Royal Alexandra Hospital for Sick Children, Brighton, 1 (140 beds) (R.S.C.N., for Wards and Departments).

The Heritage Craft Schools and Hospitals, North Chailey (For Children's Orthopaedic Open-air Wards. Lectures given on heliotherapy and dietetics).

Leaf Hospital, St. Anne's Road, Eastbourne (31 beds—including 24 for Gynaecology).

EAST SUSSEX—Continued

STAFF MIDWIFE

Sussex Maternity Hospital, Brighton, 1 (65 beds) (For General Wards).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Fairlight Sanatorium, Hastings (Male T.B.—58 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Hastings Isolation Hospital, Hastings (79 beds) (For T.B. Ward).

Fairlight Sanatorium, Hastings (Male T.B.—58 beds) (With T.A. Cert.).

Eversfield Chest Hospital, St. Leonards (T.B.—105 beds) (Ex-patients accepted).

Victoria Hospital, Lewes (39 beds).

Downside Hospital, East Dean Road, Eastbourne (184 beds) (Fever and T.B. experience an advantage).

St. Helen's Hospital, Hastings (General —452 beds).

Hove General Hospital, Hove, 3 (75 beds) (Res. or non-res.).

Newhaven Infectious Diseases Hospital, Newhaven (20 beds).

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for **Student Nurses** and **Pupil Assistant Nurses** at training hospitals (including mental hospitals and mental deficiency institutions) in all parts of the Region, which comprises South-East London, Kent and East Sussex. Applicants who wish to enter training should write to the South-East Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board, 11 Portland Place, W.1, stating at which hospital or in which part of the Region they would like to train. All applications will be acknowledged and further details forwarded.

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UNITED SHEFFIELD HOSPITALS ROYAL HOSPITAL UNIT

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for the post of **Junior Night Sister** in this Hospital, which will be vacant 1st April, 1952.

Applications, with full particulars and the names of two persons for reference, should be sent to the Matron, Royal Hospital, Sheffield. (2208)

ROYAL MENTAL HOSPITAL MONTROSE

Superintendent (in sole charge) required. Resident or non-resident. Must be qualified in General and Mental Nursing.

Applications to Physician Superintendent. (2181)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, STONE, AYLESBURY

Night Superintendent (Female) required at this Mental Hospital. Qualification in General and Mental Nursing essential. Whitley Council salary and conditions of service.

Applications, stating age and details of experience, to Matron, who will supply further particulars on request. (2264)

TINDAL GENERAL HOSPITAL, AYLESBURY, BUCKS

Night Sister required, one of three, to work under Night Superintendent. Two nights free each week.

Please apply to Matron, with two names for reference. (2196)

EXETER AND MID-DEVON HOSPITALS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
Assistant Nurse Training School

Night Sister required, resident or non-resident. There are acute medical and surgical wards opening at this Hospital in the very near future.

Applications, with two names for reference, to Matron, City Hospital, Exeter. (2115)

GROSVENOR SANATORIUM ASHFORD, KENT
(260 Beds)
Registered Training School for B.T.A. Certificate
JUNIOR NIGHT SISTER

Applications are invited for the post of **Junior Sister** for Night duty. Whitley rates and F.S.S.N. Scheme in operation.

Applications to Matron. (2295)

LIVERPOOL REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

ST. HELENS, WARRINGTON AND DISTRICT

SUPERINTENDENT MIDWIFE

Part II Training School

Warrington General Hospital (372 beds, Maternity Unit—40 beds) Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTER

Warrington General Hospital (372 beds) Busy modern Theatre Unit. Resident.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

St. Helens Hospital (189 beds) S.R.N., S.C.M. Two other Sisters on night duty. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTER

Warrington General Hospital (372 beds) Resident or non-resident.

JUNIOR NIGHT SISTER

St. Helens Hospital (189 beds) S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

WARD SISTERS

Warrington General Hospital (372 beds) For modern Children's Unit. S.R.N., S.R.C.N., or S.R.C.N. only may be considered. Resident or non-resident.

St. Helens Hospital (189 beds) S.R.N., and S.R.C.N. preferred. For Children's Ward (24 cots). Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

St. Helens Hospital (189 beds) S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only. Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

LIVERPOOL AND DISTRICT

THEATRE SISTER

Alder Hey Children's Hospital, Liverpool, 12.

ORTHOPAEDIC OUT-PATIENT SISTER

Alder Hey Children's Hospital.

CUBICLE WARD SISTER

Alder Hey Children's Hospital.

THEATRE STAFF NURSE

Alder Hey Children's Hospital, Liverpool, 12.

STAFF NURSES

City Hospital North, Netherfield Road, Liverpool, 5. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident, for general Hospital work, including E.N.T.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

City Hospital North, Netherfield Road, Liverpool, 5. Resident or non-resident, for general Hospital work, including E.N.T.

CHESTER AND WEST CHESHIRE

SUPERINTENDENT MIDWIFE AND TUTOR

Clatterbridge Hospital, Bebington, Cheshire (840 beds) For Maternity Department, recognised as Part I Midwifery Training School (42 beds, including Premature Babies' Unit). Applicants to be S.R.N., S.C.M., and be recognised Midwifery Tutors.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Chester City Hospital.

WARD SISTER

Crossley Hospital, Kingswood, Frodsham. Temporarily for six months' duty.

MALE NURSES

Clatterbridge Isolation Hospital, Bebington, Cheshire. Non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSE

Neston Cottage Hospital, Little Neston, Cheshire (27 beds) Resident. To commence 1st April, 1952.

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GROUP 25 BIRMINGHAM (SELLY OAK) HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
SELLY OAK HOSPITAL
BIRMINGHAM, 29

Approved by the General Nursing Council for General Training, and by the Central Midwives Board for Part I Midwifery Training.

Night Sister required, one of three, for General Wards and Departments.

Holiday Relief Sisters required for Wards. Salary according to Whitley scale.

Apply to Miss E. D. Poole, Matron, Selly Oak Hospital East. (2082)

BURNHAM-ON-SEA WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Night Sister required. Salary in accordance with the Whitley Council for the Health Services (Great Britain) Nurses and Midwives Council.

The Hospital of 25 beds has a Consultant Staff of seven, covering Surgery, E.N.T., Gynaecology, Physical Medicine, Orthopaedics, Dermatology, and Pathology. There are three operating sessions weekly.

Apply with full particulars to Matron, War Memorial Hospital, Burnham-on-Sea, Somerset. (1783)

THE EVELYN NURSING HOME
CAMBRIDGE
(51 Beds)

Theatre Sister required in May for busy Surgical Home. F.S.S. in force.

Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (1978)

UNITED SHEFFIELD HOSPITALS
JESSOP HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN

Midwifery Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M.

Gynaecological Sister, S.R.N. and Part S.C.M. preferred. Whitley Council scales and conditions in force.

Apply to Matron, Jessop Hospital for Women, Sheffield, 3. (1967)

CARDIFF ROYAL INFIRMARY

Sister required for Ophthalmic Theatre and Ward of 21 beds. S.R.N. Good ophthalmic experience essential. Salary and conditions according to Whitley Council recommendations.

Apply, giving full particulars of training and experience, to Matron. (1965)

QUEEN ELIZABETH'S COLONIAL NURSING SERVICE
ADEN

Nursing Sisters, S.R.N. and S.C.M., required for service in Aden. Salary, including expatriation allowance: £500 a year, rising to £710 a year. Fully furnished quarters provided at rent deduction. Free fuel, light, water and laundry provided. Outfit allowance: £30 on first appointment, and uniform allowance of £20 a year. Appointment on probation for permanent and pensionable service. Length of tour, two years. Free passages.

For further particulars apply to Overseas Nursing Association, 15 Victoria Street, London, S.W.1. (2118)

DEWSBURY, BATLEY AND MIRFIELD HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
OAKWELL HOSPITAL, OWLER LANE, BIRSTALL, Nr. LEEDS
(90 Beds)

Night Sister required, resident or non-resident, for the above Hospital, which is for the treatment of Chronic Sick and Geriatric patients—Male and Female—and has been completely modernised.

Applications, stating age, qualifications, etc., together with names and addresses of two referees, should be forwarded to the Matron. (1916)

STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL, AYLESBURY

Applications are invited for the post of **Night Sister** (one of three working with Night Superintendent) at this modern General Hospital.

Inquiries and applications to be addressed to Matron. (2198)

ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL, BILLERICAY, ESSEX
(General Hospital — 400 Beds)

Hospital pleasantly situated within easy access of London and Southend-on-Sea.

Vacancy for **Junior Theatre Sister.**

Please apply to Matron. (94)

TINDAL GENERAL HOSPITAL, AYLESBURY, BUCKS

Sister for Theatre, one of three.
Staff Nurses for E.N.T. Department, shortly to be opened.
Staff Nurses for Theatre.
Staff Nurses for Surgical Wards.
S.E.A.N.s.

Please apply to Matron, with two names for reference. (2197)

BANBURY AND DISTRICT HOSPITALS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the following posts, and should be addressed to the Matrons of the individual Hospitals:—

BRACKLEY COTTAGE HOSPITAL, NORTHANTS
(13 Beds)

Midwifery Sister, S.R.N.

CHIPPING NORTON WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, OXON
(32 Beds)

Staff Midwife.
2 Staff Nurses (alternate Night duty).

MOORE COTTAGE HOSPITAL, BOURTON-ON-THE-WATER, GLOS
(17 Beds)

State Enrolled Assistant Nurse.

MORETON-IN-MARSH DISTRICT HOSPITAL, GLOS.
(32 Beds)

Staff Midwife. (1578)

BROMPTON HOSPITAL SANATORIUM
FRIMLEY, SURREY

State Registered Nurses and **State Enrolled Assistant Nurses** required. Applications considered from ex-patients. Whitley Council scale of salaries.

Apply Matron, Brompton Hospital, London, S.W.2. (44)

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS
DAVID LEWIS NORTHERN HOSPITAL
LEEDS STREET, LIVERPOOL

Junior Theatre Sister and Helper (S.R.N.) required.

Applications, stating age, particulars training and experience, and Matron for reference, should be sent to [illegible] soon as possible.

GOOLE, HOWDEN AND BELL[illegible]
HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMM[illegible]
BARTHOLOMEW HOSPITAL, G[illegible]

(A Progressive Unit of 44 Surgical [illegible] Busy Out Patients' Department[illegible])

Ward Sister and Staff Nurse [illegible] mediately. Preferably resident. [illegible] Council rates and conditions.

Applications to Matron at Hospital, Goole 224).

QUEEN ELIZABETH'S COLO[illegible]
NURSING SERVICE
MALAYA

Nursing Sisters, S.R.N. and S.C.M. required for service in Malaya. S[illegible] cluding expatriation allowance, [illegible] Malaya dollars, is approximately [illegible] ing by £21 to £693 per annum. [illegible] tional cost of living allowance is [illegible] present £226, rising to £232 per an[illegible] a deduction for rent. Furnished [illegible] light and service provided. Appo[illegible] probation for permanent and pensi[illegible] vice. Length of tour, three years, [illegible] passages. There are also vacancies [illegible] Kong and Sarawak.

Apply for further particulars to [illegible] Nursing Association, 15 Victoria [illegible] London, S.W.1.

QUEEN ELIZABETH'S COLO[illegible]
NURSING SERVICE

Experienced **Nursing Sisters,** [illegible] S.C.M., are urgently required in [illegible] Coast. Salary, plus expatriation [illegible] for three years, then £515 x £15 [illegible] annum. Furnished quarters provid[illegible] of £30 per annum. Outfit allowa[illegible] Free passages, tour 12—24 months.

There are also vacancies for [illegible] and a **Midwife Teacher.**

For further particulars apply to [illegible] Nursing Association, 15 Victoria [illegible] London, S.W.1.

BECHUANALAND

Nursing Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M., [illegible] under 40, required for service in [illegible] land. Salary: £460 a year, rising [illegible] increments of £20 to £600, and [illegible] to £700 a year. Furnished quarters [illegible] at rent deduction, 10 per cent [illegible] Free laundry, fuel and light. Uni[illegible] ance: £20 a year. Free passages, [illegible] ticket to coast every second year, [illegible] cession ticket each year. Appo[illegible] probation for permanent and pensi[illegible] vice.

There is also a vacancy for a [illegible] **grapher,** S.R.N., M.S.R. Salary [illegible] tions as above.

Apply for further particulars to [illegible] Nursing Association, 15 Victoria [illegible] London, S.W.1.

NEWCASTLE REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Management Committees applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron of the appropriate Hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

TYNESIDE

GATESHEAD AND DISTRICT H.M.C.

BENSHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL, BENSHAM, GATESHEAD, 9
(434 Beds)

Ward Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M., for duty in the Maternity Unit. Resident or non-resident.
Mental Nursing Assistants, Class I and Class II, Male or Female, resident or non-resident.

SHERIFF HILL I.D. HOSPITAL, SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9
(125 Beds)

Staff Nurses, Female, resident or non-resident. S.R.N. For Chest Unit. Day or Night duty.
Male Staff Nurse, S.R.N. For Orthopaedic Ward. Non-resident.
State Enrolled Assistant Nurses, Female, resident or non-resident. For Day or Night duty, for Chest Unit.

QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL, SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9
(192 Beds)

Staff Nurse, Female. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH DURHAM AND NORTH RIDING

SOUTH WEST DURHAM H.M.C.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, BISHOP AUCKLAND
(352 Beds)

Night Sister, capable of (a) relieving Night Superintendent, (b) relieving in theatre, (c) supervising Student Nurses. Previous Ward Sister experience essential. Resident or non-resident.

DARLINGTON DISTRICT H.M.C.

DARLINGTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, DARLINGTON
(General — 210 Beds)

Ward Sister for Female Surgical Ward. Resident.

DARLINGTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AND HUNDENS UNIT, DARLINGTON
(General — 301 Beds)

Assistant Night Sister, resident or non-resident.
Sister for modern Cubicle Block. S.R.N. and R.F.N. Resident or non-resident.

WEARSIDE AND MID-DURHAM

SUNDERLAND AREA H.M.C.

ROYAL INFIRMARY, NEW DURHAM ROAD, SUNDERLAND
(General — 300 Beds)

Home Sister, resident. Required for Night Nurses' Home
Theatre Sister (Second), S.R.N., with general theatre experience. Resident.
Ward Sister, S.R.N., for Male Medical Ward. Resident.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, DURHAM ROAD, SUNDERLAND
(70 Beds)

Night Sister, resident or non-resident. S.R.N. and preferably R.S.C.N.

SEAHAM HALL SANATORIUM, SEAHAM, CO. DURHAM
(Tuberculosis — 130 Beds)

Ward Sister, resident. S.R.N. Possession of T.A. Certificate will rank for additional qualification allowance of £10 p.a.
Staff Nurse, Female, resident. S.R.N. Service allowance of £15 will be paid on completion of each six months' period of continuous tuberculosis nursing.

RYHOPE GENERAL HOSPITAL, RYHOPE, CO. DURHAM
(208 Beds)

Staff Nurse, Female, non-resident. S.R.N.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, CHESTER ROAD, SUNDERLAND
(517 Beds)

Staff Nurses, Female, resident or non-resident. S.R.N.

SUNDERLAND MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CHESTER ROAD, SUNDERLAND
(73 Beds)

Pupil Midwives. S.R.N., resident, required to take Part I Midwifery Training, commencing 1st May, 1952. Arrangements exist with Sunderland Domiciliary Midwifery Service for Pupils to undertake Part II training if desired.

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...TAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE ...10—WAKEFIELD "B" GROUP ...RFIELDS GENERAL HOSPITAL WAKEFIELD

...tions invited for following appoint-...

...for Men's Orthopaedic Ward (24 ...Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate or ...ble experience an advantage.
...Sister for General and Orthopaedic ...

...with full particulars and names for ...to Matron.

G. L. BANNER,
Secretary.
(2023)

...TUBERCULOSIS AUTHORITY ...RAWFORDSBURN HOSPITAL CO. DOWN

...tions are invited from general ...State Registered Nurses for the fol-...ments at the above-named Children's ...

...Sister. Applicants must have ...pital experience. The salary scale ...x £15—£480 x £20—£500 per an-...n a charge of £130 per annum for ...d lodgings.
...Staff Nurses. The salary scale is £315 ...x—£415 per annum, less a charge ...per annum for board and lodgings.
...cases a service allowance of £15 ...paid on completion of each six ...continuous whole-time service, to-...ith a travelling allowance of 4s. per ...

...ence will be given to applicants who ...experience in nursing of sick chil-...an additional £10 per annum will ...to Nurses who hold this Certificate ...ional qualification.
...of application and conditions of ...ces for Post (I) may be obtained ...Secretary, Northern Ireland Tuber-...Authority, 27 Adelaide Street, Bel-...whom completed applications should ...not later than 29th March, 1952.
...tions for Post (II), giving details ...and experience, together with copies ...recent testimonials, should be sent ...Matron of the Hospital as soon as ...
(2125)

...TEN HOUSE, WARE, HERTS
...ale Sick Hospital—132 Beds)

...ations are invited for the following ...appointments:—
...Sisters (Two).
...Assistant Nurses, Female (Four).
...Council salaries and conditions. ...Staff houses.
...tions, stating age, qualifications ...experience, together with names of two ...to Matron, Western House, Ware.
(2131)

STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL, AYLESBURY BUCKS

(624 Beds)

As a result of reorganisation, applications are invited for the following appointments:—

General Wards:
Ward Sisters (Junior), Acute Medical Wards.
Ward Sister (Holiday Relief), permanent appointment for suitable candidate at later date.
Staff Nurses (Male and Female).
S.E.A.N.s (Female) for Acute Surgical Unit.
Ward Orderlies, Female (resident or non-resident).
Medical-Neurological Unit:
Staff Nurses, Male and Female.
Plastic Unit:
Staff Nurses, Male and Female.
S.E.A.N.s, Male and Female.
National Spinal Injuries Centre:
Junior Sisters.
Staff Nurses, Male and Female.
S.E.A.N.s, Male and Female.
Isolation Unit (T.B. and Infectious Diseases) (54 beds):
Ward Sisters, S.R.N. (T.A. Certificate an advantage).
Staff Nurses, S.R.N.
Staff Nurses, R.F.N. (£302 10s. x £12 10s.—£415 p.a., less £120 board and lodging).

All salaries in accordance with the Whitley Council scales.

Adequate transport facilities are available. London and Oxford within easy reach.

Applications and inquiries to Matron. (2202)

WINSLOW HOSPITAL, WINSLOW, BUCKS

(Hospital for Chronic Sick and M.D. Patients)

Ward Sisters, S.R.N.
Staff Nurses, S.R.N.
S.E.A.N.s.
Applications, with two names for reference, to Matron. (2195)

MOORFIELDS WESTMINSTER AND CENTRAL EYE HOSPITAL

(MOORFIELDS BRANCH)

CITY ROAD, LONDON, E.C.1

(245 Beds)

State Registered Nurses. One year's post-graduate training. Block system in operation. Moorfields Certificate and Badge given to successful candidates. Opportunities arise for promotion.

Student Nurses required to enter the above Hospital's well-equipped Preliminary Training School. Block system in operation. Affiliated to London and provincial Training Schools. Moorfields Certificate and Badge given to successful candidates. State Preliminary Examinations taken during the two years' training. Age of entry from 16½ years.

For further particulars apply to Miss M. B. Mackellar, Matron. (128)

CITY COUNCIL OF BLOEMFONTEIN (SOUTH AFRICA)
APPOINTMENT OF NURSING SISTERS FOR ISOLATION HOSPITAL

Applications are invited from qualified **Nursing Sisters,** holding General and Fever Nursing Certificates of the British Nursing Council on the following terms:—

Salary scale £420—£20—£480 per annum, less £130 p.a. for board and lodging, plus £18 p.a. uniform allowance, plus cost of living allowance (at present £109 4s. p.a.), plus £24 p.a. Infectious Disease allowance, and plus £12 p.a. each for registerable qualifications in fever nursing and midwifery.

Three years' agreement. Half salary from date of departure from England until arrival at Bloemfontein. Passages out paid. Working knowledge of the Afrikaans language must be acquired within three years.

Appointments are subject to a probationary period of six months, after which the Sisters, if appointed on the permanent staff, are required to contribute to the Municipal Pension Fund and to become members of the Municipal Employees' Association. Contributions to the sick and provident funds are paid by the City Council.

Applications, accompanied by copies of testimonials, should reach the undersigned by the 15th April, 1952. There is no special form of application.

Further particulars may be obtained from the undersigned:—

DAVIS & SOPER LTD.,
Agents to the City Council of Bloemfontein.
52 & 54 St. Mary Axe, London, E.C.3.
13th March, 1952. (2278)

GROSVENOR SANATORIUM ASHFORD, KENT
(260 Beds)
Registered Training School for S.T.A. Certificate
WARD SISTERS

Applications are invited for the posts of **Ward Sisters** at above Sanatorium. Applicants to be over 35 years, with Sanatorium experience. Whitley rates and F.S.S.N. Scheme in operation.

Applications to Matron. (2296)

Nursing Sister required by Kuwait Oil Company for their Hospital in Kuwait. Must be S.R.N. and have at least two years' experience as Staff Nurse in General Hospitals. Preference given to candidates holding one or more of the following certificates: Fever, Orthopaedic, Tropical Diseases or Ophthalmic. Age 25—35 years. Two-year contract. Commencing salary: £465 p.a. clear. Generous living allowances and kit allowance. Write, quoting K.1481, to Box H/18 at 191 Gresham House, E.C.2. (2310)

ACLAND NURSING HOME OXFORD

Floor Sister required for busy Medical and Surgical Nursing Home. S.R.N. Staff.

Salary equivalent to the Whitley scale. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply, stating age and experience, and names for reference, to the Matron. (2225)

HAMPSTEAD GENERAL HOSPITAL THE GREEN, LONDON, N.W.3

Holiday Sister required for approximately four months, May/September. S.R.N., S.C.M. essential.

Apply with details of experience, age, etc., and names of two Matrons for reference, to the Matron. (2273)

THE UNITED SHEFFIELD HOSPITALS ROYAL HOSPITAL UNIT

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for the post of **Sister** (junior to two) in the Private Wards of this Hospital.

Applications, together with full particulars of experience and the names of two persons for reference, should be sent to the Matron, Royal Hospital, Sheffield. (2207)

UNITED MANCHESTER HOSPITALS SAINT MARY'S HOSPITALS MANCHESTER

Ward Sister, S.R.N., S.R.C.N. (S.R.C.N. only would be considered) required for Paediatric Unit. Alternate day and night duty.

Please apply, giving details of experience, together with two names for reference, to the Matron. (2321)

Required immediately:

(1) Charge Nurse, S.R.N., for **Female Block, 58 patients.**

(2) State Registered Nurse for Relief duties.

(3) Assistant Nurses, Male and Female.

Salary in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations. Pension scheme.

Apply Matron, The Home and Hospital for Jewish Incurables, High Road, South Tottenham, N.15. (101)

BRISTOL DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION

State Registered Nurses, Male and Female, trained for Queen's Roll. Block training in operation. Vacancies now and later. General work only. Salary during training: £140, plus emoluments. Resident or non-resident. Cyclists or motorists.

Apply Senior Superintendent of Home Nursing, 6 Berkeley Square, Bristol, 8. (89)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, GOOLE
STAFF REQUIRED

State Registered Children's Nurse for Nursery of 16 children under 5 years. Resident or non-resident.

Whitley Council rates and conditions.

Applications to Matron at Hospital. (Tel: Goole 16). (2084)

HASTINGS AND ST. LEONARDS DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION

Training Midwife required. Car driver or willing to learn. Part II Training School.

Two Nurses also required for general work and relief midwifery. Queen's or S.R.N.

Apply Superintendent, 65 Old London Road, Hastings. (2132)

MAIDA VALE HOSPITAL FOR NERVOUS DISEASES, LONDON, W.9

Four Staff Nurses required for newly constructed Neurosurgical Wards. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the recommendations of the Whitley Council.

Applications should be made as soon as possible to the Matron. (141)

READING QUEEN'S HOME

Full-time Midwife required for small Branch Home. Whitley scale of salary.

Apply Superintendent, 25 Erleigh Road, Reading. (219)

ROYAL HALIFAX INFIRMARY
(301 Beds)
General and Midwifery Training School

Staff Midwives required, also **Pupil Midwives. Student Nurses required for Preliminary Training School. Vacancies February, May, September, November.**

Apply to Matron. (372)

MAIDA VALE HOSPITAL FOR NERVOUS DISEASES, LONDON, W.9

Staff Nurses required for medical and surgical wards. Must be State Registered. Salary according to the Rushcliffe scale.

Apply to the Matron. (79)

READING D.N.A.

District Midwife required for small Branch Home (three Nurses). Whitley scale of salaries.

Apply Superintendent, 25 Erleigh Road. (937)

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL DENMARK HILL, S.E.5

Applications are invited for the post of **Staff Midwife.**

Apply with full particulars of training and experience to Matron. (50)

TRAINED NURSES
SURGICAL TUBERCULOSIS UNIT
City Hospital, Greenbank Drive, Edinburgh
(616 Beds)

A team of **Registered Nurses** is required for above new ward and theatre unit, which is opening in May. Applications will be welcomed from Nurses with experience in this field of nursing; also from a limited number desiring such experience. For full particulars apply to Matron, giving names of two referees. (2232)

HOSPITALS FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST

Applications are invited for the following vacancies:—

LONDON CHEST HOSPITAL LONDON, E.2
(135 Beds)
Station: Bethnal Green (Central London Line)

State Registered Staff Nurses, for one year's post-graduate training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

LONDON CHEST HOSPITAL COUNTRY BRANCH, ARLESEY BEDS
(205 Beds)
Station: Letchworth, Herts

Ward Sister, S.R.N. and B.T.A. Certificate.

State Registered Staff Nurses, for one year's post-graduate training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

Whitley Council scale of salaries and conditions, with service allowance of £15 on completion of six months' continuous whole-time tuberculosis nursing.

Both Hospitals are Training Schools for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

Good experience can be gained in nursing all chest conditions, including thoracic and cardiac surgery.

Application forms and particulars may be obtained from the Matrons of either Hospital. (113)

MALE AND FEMALE REGISTERED MENTAL NURSES
(with or without General Training) required urgently for
THE LEBANON HOSPITAL
FOR MENTAL AND NERVOUS DISORDERS
Near Beirut, Mount Lebanon

Needs: sense of vocation, interest in people of other countries, ability to live happily in small community. **Salary:** approximately Whitley Scale. F.S.S.N. and Nat. Ins. arrangements and return passage for three-year contract. Practically no Income Tax in Lebanon.

For further particulars apply: Lebanon Hospital Committee, Drayton House, Gordon Street, London, W.C.1. (2289)

DERBY AREA No. 1 HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
DERBYSHIRE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN NORTH STREET, DERBY

There are vacancies for State Registered Nurses to train for the Register of Sick Children's Nurses, during which the most recent Whitley Council training allowances will be paid, i.e.:—

1st year £285, less £100 for board, lodging and uniform.
2nd year £300, less £100 for board, lodging and uniform.

For all particulars apply to Matron, who will be pleased to arrange an interview, and for candidates to see the Hospital (2025)

BROMPTON HOSPITAL, S.W.3

State Registered Nurses wishing to gain additional experience, with Certificate, are invited to write to the Matron for particulars of one year's Course in the medical and surgical treatment of Pulmonary Tuberculosis and other Chest diseases.

Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scale, including the additional service allowance of £30 on completion of one year's service.

There are also vacancies for **State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.** Salary in accordance with the Whitley Council scales, including the additional service allowance of £30 on completion of each year of service.

Minimum salary: £150 p.a.

Apply Matron, Brompton Hospital, London, S.W.3. (x111)

Hull (A) Group Hospital Management Committee
HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY

Staff Nurse required for General Theatres. Resident or non-resident.

Salary according to National scale. Superannuation.

Apply with full particulars to Matron, Hull Royal Infirmary. (1069)

PADDINGTON GREEN CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, W.2
(St. Mary's Hospital)

Staff Nurses required, S.R.N. [illegible]

Please apply Matron.

THE ROYAL CANCER HOSPITAL FULHAM ROAD, LONDON, S.W.3

Vacancies for **Trained Nurses** (non-resident) who wish to gain [illegible] in major surgery and treatment [illegible] and radiotherapy; also experience [illegible] treatment of diagnostic [illegible] radioactive isotopes.

In order to assist the Management, it is essential to have a staff of trained Nurses on the Wards in accordance with the Whitley scales.

For further particulars apply to [illegible]

CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

Nursery Nurses wanted (Certificated experienced) for responsible and [illegible] posts in Residential Nurseries in [illegible] of the country, accommodating [illegible] and toddlers. Write, stating age [illegible] this publication, to the Secretary [illegible] of E. Children's Society, Old [illegible] Kennington Road, London, S.E.11.

HAMMERSMITH HOSPITAL POST-GRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON DU CANE ROAD, LONDON, W.12
Teaching Hospital

Applications invited for following appointments:—

Staff Midwives.
Staff Nurses.
Student Nurses.

Excellent post-graduate and teaching facilities.

Further information and application [illegible] obtainable from Matron.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF SMETHWICK "THE HOLLIES" CHILDREN'S HOME
APPOINTMENT OF RESIDENT STAFF NURSE

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses, Registered Fever [illegible] Registered Sick Children's Nurses [illegible] resident post of **Staff Nurse** at [illegible] Home for Rheumatic Children [illegible] Lane, Smethwick.

Salary will be in accordance [illegible] recommendations of the Nurses Sub-Committee, i.e.: £315, rising by annual [illegible] ments of £12 10s. to £415, less [illegible] year for board and lodging, [illegible] uniform. The appointment, which [illegible] able by one month's notice in [illegible] either side, will be subject to the [illegible] of the National Health Service [illegible] tion Regulations, 1947, and the [illegible] candidate will be required to pass [illegible] examination.

"The Hollies" is a modern [illegible] 30 beds, receiving children up [illegible] leaving age who are suffering [illegible] matic conditions, asthma and non-tuberculosis.

Applications, stating age, [illegible] and experience, and giving the [illegible] persons to whom reference may [illegible] should be sent to the Medical [illegible] Health, Public Health Department, [illegible] Lane, Smethwick, within 10 days [illegible] pearance of this notice.

E. L. TWYCROSS
Council House, Smethwick.
March, 1952.

THE ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL GRAY'S INN ROAD, LONDON, W.C.1

Applications are invited for [illegible] ment of **Staff Midwife,** S.R.N., [illegible] would be required to assist with [illegible] of Medical Students.

Conditions of service and salary [illegible] ance with the Whitley scale.

Apply in writing, with full particulars [illegible] age, training and subsequent [illegible] gether with names of two Matrons [illegible] ence, to Matron.

OKEHAMPTON DISTRICT HOSPITAL
(Small General Hospital of [illegible] including 4 Maternity [illegible])

Staff Nurse required, S.R.N., [illegible] full or Part I S.C.M. Appointment made with a view to promotion [illegible] desired by applicant. Salary in [illegible] with Whitley awards.

Apply direct to Matron.

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL BIRMINGHAM, 15

Staff Midwives required for [illegible] duty. Salary according to Nurses [illegible] with full residential emoluments.

Applications, giving full particulars [illegible] be sent to the Matron.

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL DENMARK HILL, S.E.5

Applications are invited for [illegible] **Staff Nurse** in the operating theatre [illegible] and specialised types of work.

Apply, giving particulars of [illegible] experience, to the Matron.

KINGSTON UPON HULL CORPORATION HEALTH DEPARTMENT

DISTRICT MIDWIVES CENTRE, 33 ALBION STREET

Applications are invited for resident appointments as **District Midwives** (R.N. and S.C.M.) at the above-named Part II Training Centre.

Candidates must be interested in assisting with the practical training of pupils.

The appointments afford excellent district experience for Midwives desirous of preparing for the Midwifery Teacher's Diploma.

Salary and conditions of service as stipulated by the Nurses and Midwives Council.

The posts are subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937.

To the successful candidates will be required to pass a medical examination.

Application forms may be obtained from the Senior Assistant Medical Officer of Health for Maternity and Child Welfare, 10 Hanover Square, Kingston upon Hull. (1946)

MOORFIELDS WESTMINSTER AND CENTRAL EYE HOSPITAL

(WESTMINSTER BRANCH)

HIGH HOLBORN, LONDON, W.C.1

(Affiliated Training School)

Applications are invited for the following resident or non-resident appointments:—

Charge Nurse with Ophthalmic Certificate.

Staff Nurses for one year's Course in Ophthalmic Nursing. Lectures and certificate given.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses, with Ophthalmic Certificate, for permanent posts.

Student Nurses. Girls of good educational standard required to enter Preliminary Training School prior to two years' training. A grant of £5 is made to students on passing the Preliminary State Examination. Third-class travelling expenses are paid for interview.

Salaries and conditions of service are in accordance with the Nurses Whitley Council recommendations.

Apply to Matron for further particulars. (184)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, LEEDS

Part I Midwifery Training School

(109 Beds)

Staff Midwives required at the above Hospital. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the recommendations of the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council.

Applications to be forwarded to the Matron, St. Mary's Hospital, Green Hill Leeds, 12, as soon as possible. (29)

THE NATIONAL HOSPITALS

THE NATIONAL HOSPITAL, QUEEN SQUARE, W.C.1

MAIDA VALE HOSPITAL, W.9

Vacancies in the Theatres (Neurosurgical) for **Staff Nurses** with General Nursing experience, desiring to specialise.

Apply to Matron. (1550)

ST. MARK'S HOSPITAL

CITY ROAD, LONDON, E.C.1

(Post-Graduate Teaching Hospital)

Staff Nurse required for Theatre. The successful candidate will also be able to take a special six-month course of lectures, which is given to trained Nurses by Consultant Staff in the diagnosis, treatment and nursing care of all recto-anal surgical cases.

Residential accommodation available in modern Nurses' Home.

Application forms and full details obtainable from Matron. (2271)

BANBURY AND DISTRICT HOSPITALS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the following posts in Hospitals forming the BANBURY GROUP TRAINING SCHOOL.

Apply to the Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

HORTON GENERAL HOSPITAL

(170 Beds)

Staff Nurses, for Surgical Wards.

ELMS MATERNITY HOME

(Well-equipped Unit of 15 Beds)

Midwifery Sister.

NEITHROP HOSPITAL

(Maternity and Long-stay — 114 Beds)

Assistant Nurses.

PINES ISOLATION HOSPITAL

(37 Beds)

(Infectious Diseases and Pulmonary Tuberculosis)

Staff Nurses.

(2266)

BUCKINGHAM HOSPITAL, BUCKINGHAM

(21-Bed Hospital—Medical and Surgical Work and O.P. Clinics)

S.R.N.s, S.E.A.N.s and Female Ward Orderlies with previous Hospital experience required for day and night duty.

Applications, with two names for reference, to Matron. (2194)

ROYAL BUCKINGHAMSHIRE HOSPITAL AYLESBURY

Staff Midwife for modern unit of 25 beds.

Application form from Matron. (2199)

THE HOSPITAL FOR THE WOMEN OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE 17, MARYLAND

Merrell L. Stout, M.D., Director.

GENERAL STAFF NURSES wanted; good salary and pleasant working conditions. Apply Director of Nurses, Hospital for the Women of Maryland, Baltimore 17, Maryland, U.S.A. (2211)

MID-SUSSEX HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

THE HERITAGE CRAFT SCHOOLS AND HOSPITALS

NORTH CHAILEY

Physiotherapist required in Orthopaedic Hospital for Children, 15 miles from Brighton; 300 beds. Staff of five. Good experience for recently qualified person.

Apply, giving full details of experience and qualifications, to the Administrative Officer at the above address. (2203)

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM

(368 Beds, 38 Cots)

BADSLEY MOOR HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM

(70 Beds)

Physiotherapist, C.S.P., required, non-resident. Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scale.

Applications, stating experience and names of two referees, to the Medical Superintendent, Moorgate General Hospital, Rotherham. (2299)

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, SUTTON-IN-ASHFIELD NOTTS

Vacancies exist at King's Mill Hospital for **State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.**

Applications, giving full particulars, should be forwarded to Matron immediately. (1878)

ADELA SHAW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL KIRKBYMOORSIDE, YORK

(Children's Long-Stay — 124 Beds)

Chartered Assistant Physiotherapist required. Resident or non-resident. Salary and conditions according to Whitley Council agreements.

Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (107)

BIRMINGHAM (SANATORIA) GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

WEST HEATH SANATORIUM, REDNAL ROAD, BIRMINGHAM, 31

(210 Beds for Pulmonary Tuberculosis)

Student Nurses required for two years' training for B.T.A. Certificate, Male and Female.

Pupil Assistant Nurses, Male and Female, for two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses, part of the Course to be taken at Yardley Green Hospital and Selly Oak Hospital West.

Applications should be made to the Matron of the Hospital, from whom further information may be obtained. (15)

ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL, BILLERICAY, ESSEX

(General Hospital — 400 Beds)

Hospital pleasantly situated within easy access of London and Southend-on-Sea.

Vacancies for **Pupil Assistant Nurses.**

Please apply to Matron. (92)

BIRMINGHAM (SANATORIA) GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9

(413 Beds for All Forms of Tuberculosis)

Student Nurses, Male and Female, required, resident or non-resident. Four years' course of training in General and Tuberculosis Nursing. The first two years will be spent at Yardley Green Hospital, followed by two years at Dudley Road Hospital or Selly Oak Hospital, Birmingham. Students are also accepted for two years' training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

Pupil Assistant Nurses required for two years' training for the Roll of Assistant Nurses. Part of the course to be taken at Selly Oak Hospital West, Birmingham.

Applications should be made to the Matron of the Hospital, from whom further information may be obtained. (168)

REDHILL GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING, SURREY

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE AND FEMALE)

Applications are invited from young MEN and WOMEN who are desirous of undertaking a course of two years' training for State Enrolment at the above Hospital.

Salary: £200—£210 (payment of £100 p.a. to Hospital where board and lodging provided), plus a payment of £5 on completion of training.

Trainees will be eligible to claim dependants' allowances. Uniform provided free and laundered without charge. Free meals on duty to non-resident Pupils.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Matron, Room 2. (2151)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL, HEADINGTON
OXFORD

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses who wish to do post-graduate work in Plastic Surgical Nursing. Experience gained in adult and children's wards.

Applications to be sent to the Matron. (2226)

MEATH HOSPITAL AND
COUNTY DUBLIN INFIRMARY

Two Theatre Staff Nurses required. Salary in accordance with experience.

Apply, giving full particulars and two names for reference, to Matron.

F. D. MURRAY,
Secretary.
(2229)

SOUTH DEVON
BOVEY TRACEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL

Wanted, **Two Staff Nurses** with or without S.C.M. Small General Hospital, pleasantly situated, within easy reach of principal South Devon Coast resorts and the Moors. Salary in accordance with Whitley awards.

Apply to Matron. (2238)

CITY OF SALFORD CHILDREN
COMMITTEE
GREENBANK RESIDENTIAL NURSERY

Nursery Nurses (resident or non-resident). Salary in accordance with Ministry of Health Circular 168/47: £100—£180, plus emoluments valued at £100, or a non-resident allowance of £100.

Possession of the N.N.E.B. Certificate will be an advantage.

Applications to be addressed to the Children's Officer, Children Dept., Broughton Road, Salford, 6, endorsing the letter "N.T."

H. H. TOMSON, Town Clerk.
(2239)

HAMPSTEAD GENERAL HOSPITAL
THE GREEN, LONDON, N.W.3

Two Staff Nurses, S.R.N., required for General Wards from middle April onwards.

Apply, with details of experience, age, etc., and two names for reference, to Matron. (2272)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL, HEADINGTON
OXFORD

STAFF MIDWIFE

Applications are invited for the post of **Staff Midwife** in the Part II Midwifery Unit.

Apply to Matron. (2227)

WESTERLAND INFANTS' HOSPITAL
ELLOUGHTON, BROUGH, E. YORKS

Staff Nurse (preferably R.S.C.N.) required at the above Hospital. National scale and conditions.

Applications in writing, accompanied by testimonials, to be sent as soon as possible to the Matron, Maternity Hospital, Hedon Road, Hull. (2307)

KETTERING AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, KETTERING

Staff Midwives required for the above Hospital, which is a Part II Training School for Pupil Midwives.

Salary and conditions in accordance with the Whitley Council scales.

Applications to be made to the Senior Matron, General Hospital, Kettering, Northants. (2308)

BRADFORD ROYAL INFIRMARY
(507 Beds)

Two Theatre Staff Nurses required for busy and up-to-date Theatre Unit. Must have had some good theatre experience. Salary, Whitley scales.

Apply with two names for references to Lady Superintendent. (2314)

UNITED MANCHESTER HOSPITALS
SAINT MARY'S HOSPITALS
MANCHESTER

Vacancies exist for **Staff Midwives** for day and night duty, either in Manchester or in the Country Branch at Prestbury, Cheshire.

Excellent experience in both normal and abnormal midwifery.

Apply, stating qualifications and experience, and giving two names for reference, to the Matron. (2322)

BOMBAY

Newly opened European Hospital, Breach Candy, 60 beds, require **4 Staff Nurses,** S.R.N., Part I C.M.B. Salary, including overseas allowance: £270 per annum. Board, lodging and laundry provided free. Free passages. Leave on termination of contract of three years, also 28 days' per annum local leave.

Apply for further particulars to Overseas Nursing Association, 15 Victoria Street, London, S.W.1. (2123)

BRADFORD ROYAL INFIRMARY
(507 Beds)

Two Staff Nurses, S.R.N., and **Two State Enrolled Assistant Nurses** required for Private Patients' Block, run on Hospital lines. Salary, Whitley scales.

Apply with names for reference to Lady Superintendent. (2316)

EPSOM GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

The following staff are required:—

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM

Student Nurses for three years' General Training. Training allowances: £200 p.a. 1st year, £210 p.a. 2nd year, £225 p.a. 3rd year; less £100 p.a. for residence.

Pupil Assistant Nurses for two years' training, mainly in practical nursing. Training allowances: £200 p.a. 1st year, £210 p.a. 2nd year, less £100 p.a. for residence.

EWELL PARK ANNEXE, LONDON ROAD, EWELL

Pupil Assistant Nurses for two years' training in conjunction with Epsom District Hospital.

Applications and inquiries to Matron, Epsom District Hospital. (2204)

OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

CHILDREN'S CARE COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the undermentioned appointments at the new Residential Nursery (which accommodates 25 children—birth to 5 years), opened recently at Sherwood House, Grey's Road, Henley-on-Thames. This house is beautifully situated within easy reach of the town centre, and readily accessible from London.

Two Senior Nursery Assistants (resident), and one **Nursery Assistant** (resident). Applicants for the posts of Senior Nursery Assistant must be trained in the care of very young children, with special knowledge of infant welfare. Preference given to holders of the N.N.E.B. Certificate.

Salaries: Senior Nursery Assistants, £160 by £10 to £180 per annum, plus emoluments valued at £100 per annum; Nursery Assistant, £120 by £10 to £160, plus emoluments valued at £100.

Appointments are superannuable under the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and are subject to a satisfactory medical examination, including an X-ray of the chest.

Forms of application and full particulars may be obtained from the County Children's Officer, 103 Banbury Road, Oxford. Last day for the receipt of applications, 28th March, 1952.

F. G. SCOTT,
Clerk of the Council.

County Hall, Oxford.
12th March, 1952. (2188)

ROYAL INFIRMARY, BLACKBURN

2 Male or Female State Enrolled Assistant Nurses with eye experience required. Male Nurses must be non-resident.

Apply to Matron. (25)

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL

BATH HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
(404 Beds)
STUDENT NURSES

There are vacancies for **Female Student Nurses** between the ages of 18—34 years, to qualify as State Registered Nurses. Modern Hospital and Nurses' Home in ideal surroundings.

For further particulars apply the Matron, Royal United Hospital, Combe Park, Bath. (45)

MILE END HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.1

has vacancies for well-educated Girls over 18 years of age as **Student Nurses.** Training period of three years, including first eleven weeks in Preliminary Training School. Half-day study period weekly allowed in duty time to all Student Nurses. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training.

This is a busy General Hospital, offering excellent all-round experience, with a pleasant, modern Nurses' Home.

Please write to Matron for further particulars and form of application. (146)

ST. GEORGE-IN-THE-EAST HOSPITAL, RAINE STREET WAPPING, LONDON, E.1

STUDENT NURSES

Girls of a good standard of education and who are at least 18 years of age required to train for three years in General Nursing, which includes twelve weeks in Preliminary Training School. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. Annual training allowances represent: 1st year £200, 2nd year £210, 3rd year £225. Single cash payment of £5 on passing Preliminary State Examination. Trainees may be resident or non-resident. If resident, a charge of £100 will be made for board and lodging. Non-residents will receive uniform, laundry, and meals on duty free. Trainees will be eligible to claim dependants' allowances.

Forms of application may be obtained from the Matron. (58)

MOUNT VERNON HOSPITAL, NORTHWOOD MIDDLESEX

There are vacancies for **Student Nurses** at the above Training School in January, May and September.

The period of training is three years. Nurses on the Supplementary parts of the Register will be accepted for two years.

Modern methods of training adopted.

Training grants and conditions are in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations.

Applications from well-educated girls between the ages of 18 and 30 years should be addressed to the Matron, who will be pleased to send full particulars. (31)

STUDENT NURSES REQUIRED

Vacancies occur April, July, October and January.

Apply Matron, Borough General Hospital, Heath Road, Ipswich, Suffolk. (49)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITAL
GENERAL INFIRMARY AT L

Staff Nurses required for the Patients' Block.

Please apply to Matron, stating ing School and subsequent gether with three names for reference

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LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL

Certificated Nursery Nurses (resident) required at residential nurseries in Counties.

Salary scales (aged 19), £125 £135 x £10—£195, plus full emoluments.

Apply Medical Officer of Health, The County Hall, Westminster Bridge (257)

EXETER SPECIAL HOSPITAL
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
HAWKMOOR CHEST HOSPITAL
BOVEY TRACEY, S. DEVON

Second Physiotherapist required for Thoracic Surgical Unit of above Salary and conditions in accordance scale.

For further particulars apply M

Chartered Physiotherapist required ley Council conditions.

Applications, giving particulars ence, to Secretary, London Jewish Stepney Green, E.1.

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUN

Orthopaedic Nurse required for and supervision of children at Centres. Certificate of Chartered Physiotherapy essential.

Salary: £400—£460, plus £20 for cate in Orthopaedic Nursing. Uniform ance £12 p.a. Commencing salary to experience. Post superannuable.

Applications, with names of two to County Medical Officer, East Cliff Offices, Preston, immediately.

HERTFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL
HERTFORD
(171 Beds)

Applications are invited from qualified members of the Chartered Physiotherapists for the undermentioned posts:—

(a) **Junior Physiotherapist.**

(b) **Holiday Relief Physiotherapist** to 31st October, 1952.

Resident or non-resident posts, the scale £390 x £12½ (4) x £10 p.a. (less £120 p.a. if resident), with ley Council conditions of service, etc.

Apply immediately to Almoner Officer at above address, stating age ing and experience, together with of two referees.

KETTERING AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
GENERAL HOSPITAL, KETTERING

Assistant Physiotherapist required resident, at the above Hospital.

Salary and conditions in accordance the Whitley Council Professional and nical Council A.

Applications to be made to the Matron, General Hospital, Kettering ants.

ENFIELD GROUP HOSPITAL
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
VACANCIES FOR
PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

A new Training School for Pupil Nurses has been opened within the There are vacancies for young women over 18 years of age. Two-year one month in the Preliminary Training and the remainder in one or more following Hospitals:—

South Lodge Hospital, World's End Winchmore Hill, N.21.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Enfield, Middlesex.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side cent, Enfield, Middlesex.

Salary during training: £200 first £210 second year; Male Pupils £14 per year; £5 cash payment on training and enrolment.

Female Pupils may reside at the of their choice, but Male Pupils are to make their own arrangements.

Full particulars and illustrated with enrolment form can be obtained plication to the Matron (Dept. N.T.) of the above-named Hospitals.

MAIDA VALE HOSPITAL FOR N
DISEASES, LONDON, W.9

Enrolled Assistant Nurse required according to the Whitley Council ations.

Apply to the Matron.

THE ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL
GRAY'S INN ROAD, LONDON,

Applications are invited from **rolled Assistant Nurses** for the Mat partment of the Royal Free Hospital

Conditions of service and salary accordance with the Whitley coun

Apply with full particulars of ing, experience, and names of two for reference, to Matron.

HILLINGDON HOSPITAL, UXBRIDGE, MIDDLESEX

(General — 705 Beds)

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR STUDENT NURSES

AND PUPIL MIDWIVES, PART II

Vacancies for **FEMALE STUDENT NURSES** in the Preliminary Training Schools in July, October, 1952, and January, 1953.

Period of training: Three years. Nurses on the Supplementary Parts of the Register accepted for two years. (Immediate vacancies).

Modern Nurses' Home, separate bedrooms.

Exceptional training facilities.

Vacancies also occur from time to time for **MALE STUDENT NURSES** (resident or non-resident).

Applicants with a good standard of education, and between the ages of 18 and 34 years, should write to the Matron, who will send full particulars and arrange interviews.

Also vacancies for **PUPIL MIDWIVES** (Part II) from time to time.

(74)

KINGSTON HOSPITAL

WOLVERTON AVENUE, KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES, SURREY

(500/600 Beds)

Applications are invited for **Student Nurses** for three years' General Training. (Those on the Supplementary Register are accepted for two years' training).

Training grant and conditions are in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations.

The Hospital is situated in very pleasant surroundings on Kingston Hill, and within easy reach of London by train and bus.

There is an attractive Nurses' Home, with facilities for many sport and social activities.

Applications to be made to the Matron. (x1821)

INGLEY, KEIGHLEY, SKIPTON AND SETTLE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

KEIGHLEY AND BINGLEY JOINT HOSPITALS TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES

(YORKSHIRE, WEST RIDING)

(Incorporating Keighley and District Victoria Hospital and Bingley Hospital)

Student Nurses required immediately for three years' training in the above Joint Training School.

Salary: 1st year £200, 2nd year £210, plus £5 on passing Preliminary Examination, 3rd year £225. Subject to deductions of £100 per annum for board and lodging provided.

Application forms and forms of conditions of service may be obtained from the Matron of either Hospital. (x1791)

EXETER SPECIAL HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

(SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD)

HAWKMOOR CHEST HOSPITAL, BOVEY TRACEY

(210 Beds)

Student Nurses required. All types of treatment for Pulmonary Tuberculosis, including a major Thoracic Surgical Unit for Tuberculosis and Non-Tuberculous Diseases of the Chest.

Training School under the General Nursing Council (special three years' training, one year in the Chest Hospital and two years in a General Hospital, Women and Men of good education). The Chest Hospital is also a Training School for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Salaries according to the Whitley Council scales recently published.

For further details apply to Matron. (7)

ENFIELD GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

CHASE FARM HOSPITAL, THE RIDGEWAY, ENFIELD, MIDDLESEX

VACANCIES FOR STUDENT NURSES AND PUPIL MIDWIVES

The Hospital is pleasantly sited, and though easy access to the heart of London is obtained, it is within walking distance of pleasant countryside. Local shopping and entertainment facilities are good.

STUDENT NURSES (Female)

Vacancies on courses commencing 1-4-52 and 1-7-52. Period of training: three years, plus trial period of three months. Training given for State Examination in General Nursing. Training allowances: £200, £210 and £225 for the first, second and third years, respectively. Full board and lodging provided for deduction of £100 per annum. Nurses on Supplementary Register may take two years' course. Students may take Part I of Midwifery Training when State Registered.

STUDENT NURSES (Male)

Vacancies for four Males on the April course. Candidates must be non-smokers, and for preference have completed National Service.

PUPIL MIDWIVES (Pt. I Training)

Vacancies for S.R.N. on courses commencing 1-5-52 and 1-8-52. Period of training: Six months. Allowance: £230 per annum, less deduction of £100 per annum for board and lodging.

Illustrated brochure and further particulars obtainable from the Matron of the Hospital, Department N.T., to whom all applications for vacancies should be addressed. (64)

THE UNITED SHEFFIELD HOSPITALS

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Affords excellent facilities for Training in General and Sick Children's Nursing.

Apply for Illustrated Brochure to the Principal (Room 2), Clarke House, Sheffield, 10. (2284)

HERTFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL

HERTFORD, HERTS

Training School for Male and Female Student Nurses

There are vacancies in the Schools commencing 1st April and 1st September, 1952.

Apply for further particulars and application form to Matron. (125)

HACKNEY GROUP (No. 6) HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

HACKNEY HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.9

Approved Training School for Female Student Nurses

There are vacancies for **Student Nurses** at Hackney Hospital, London, E.9, which is a large General Hospital with a Preliminary Training School attached—Full Block System. The Wards provide good acute work and are well staffed. Classrooms are modern and well equipped; four Sister Tutors. Modern Nurses' Home; forty-eight hours per week. Salary: 1st year £200, £100 being deducted for board and lodging.

Registered Mental, Fever and Children's Trained Nurses accepted for two years' training.

Apply Matron for application forms and further particulars. Interviews arranged. (21)

CHELMSFORD (ESSEX) SCHOOL OF NURSING

GROUP TRAINING

(900 Beds)

Hospitals participating:—

CHELMSFORD AND ESSEX HOSPITAL, Chelmsford.
ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Chelmsford.
BROOMFIELD HOSPITAL, Broomfield, Chelmsford.

Period of training: Three years (including Preliminary Training School).

Applications are invited from well-educated girls of 18 to 30 years.

Forms and particulars may be obtained from the Matrons of any of the three Hospitals. (39)

WOKING AND CHERTSEY GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY, SURREY

Complete Training School for Nurses

Students accepted for general training between 18 and 32 years of age. Training allowances: 1st year £200, 2nd year £210, 3rd year £225, less £100 per annum for tuition, residence, etc. Nurses on Supplementary Register entered for Final Examination after two years. No further vacancies for Male candidates until summer, 1952.

For further information apply to Matron. (477)

THE BIRMINGHAM (DUDLEY ROAD) GROUP OF HOSPITALS

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18

Student Nurses required. The training is three years plus three months' trial period. BLOCK SYSTEM OF TRAINING is in operation, which means that much of the theoretical work is undertaken when the Nurse is not working on the wards.

Apply to Matron. (815)

EAST SUFFOLK AND IPSWICH HOSPITAL

IPSWICH

(350 Beds)

Student Nurses accepted for general training. Preliminary Training School courses commence in February, May, August and November each year. Usual training allowance given.

For prospectus and full particulars apply to Matron. (85)

CLARE HALL HOSPITAL

SOUTH MIMMS, BARNET, HERTS

(542 Beds)

TUBERCULOSIS NURSING

MALE AND FEMALE STUDENT NURSES required for four-year course, combining general and tuberculosis training. First two years spent at CLARE HALL for qualification for Preliminary State Examination and Tuberculosis Association Certificate, followed by two years at one of the affiliated General Hospitals to complete training for Final State Examination. Applications will also be considered for Students to complete two years' training only for Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Candidates must be 17½ years or over.

Salary: 1st year £205 p.a., 2nd year £215 p.a., with an additional service allowance of £60 on completion of the two years' training in Tuberculosis nursing. Appropriate salaries payable for the 3rd and 4th years. Male Students receive an additional £14 6s. p.a. in each year of training. Where the Student is resident, a deduction of £100 p.a. is made for residential emoluments provided.

Vacancies in the Preliminary Training School commencing May 21st, 1952, and applications should be made to the Matron of the Hospital, from whom further information may be obtained. (1725)

BURY AND ROSSENDALE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

There are vacancies for **State Enrolled Assistant Nurses** (Female) at the Robinson Kay Home, Walmersley Road, Bury. Salary and conditions of service will be in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations for Nurses and Midwives.

Applications should be made to the Matron, Robinson Kay Home, Bury, immediately.

H. WILKINSON,
Secretary to the Committee.
(3)

HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE HACKNEY GROUP (No. 6) HACKNEY HOSPITAL HOMERTON HIGH STREET, LONDON, E.9 (Large General Hospital: Recognised Training School for Assistant Nurses)

Vacancies exist for **Pupil Assistant Nurses**, aged 18 years and over, for two years' training at the above Hospital.

Training allowance: 1st year £200, 2nd year £210, a charge of £100 a year is made for board and lodging.

For application forms and further particulars, apply Matron. (17)

HOME FOR THE BLIND 17 DOWNLEAZE, BRISTOL

Applications are invited for the post of **Resident Assistant Nurse**, S.E.A.N. Salary according to scale plus residential emoluments. Previous experience with elderly blind persons an asset, but not essential. Immediate vacancy.

Apply, stating age, experience, qualifications, and submitting copies of three testimonials, to the General Superintendent, Workshops for the Blind, St. George's Road, Park Street, Bristol, 1. (2139)

LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL

S.E. Assistant Nurse (Female, resident) required at Beechholme Residential School, Banstead, Surrey.

Whitley salary.

Apply Medical Officer of Health (PH/D.1), The County Hall, S.E.1. (261) (2218)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL Children's Department PRINCESS LOUISE KENSINGTON HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN ST. QUINTIN AVENUE, W.10

Vacancies exist for young ladies who wish to obtain experience in the nursing of sick children prior to entering the Hospital's Training School in June or October.

Applicants should be aged 17—18 years and of good education.

Application form from Matron. (2274)

CRUMPSALL HOSPITAL MANCHESTER, 8
(Adult General—1,225 Beds)

Vacancies exist for **Student Nurses**, Female, resident or non-resident. Salaries in accordance with Whitley Council scales and conditions of service. Subject to National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations, 1950.

Applications to be addressed to the Matron, Dept. "N.T.," Crumpsall Hospital, as soon as possible. (63)

THE UNITED MANCHESTER HOSPITALS SCHOOL OF NURSING (The Royal Infirmary, Saint Mary's Hospital for Women and Children, and the Royal Eye Hospital)
STUDENT NURSES

Student Nurses are required for the above School of Nursing.

The curriculum of training covers a period of three years, followed by a further year of service as a Staff Nurse. Student Nurses are paid a training allowance of £200 for the first year, £210 for the second year, plus £5 bonus after passing the Preliminary State Examination, and £225 for the third year. Of this, £100 will be payable to the United Manchester Hospitals for board and lodging. They will receive medical attention and indoor uniform. Fourth year Nurses, after State Registration, become Staff Nurses and will receive £315 per annum, of which £120 will be payable for board and lodging and indoor uniform. Student Nurses are required to serve a trial period of six months' duration, three months of which are spent in the Preliminary Training School and three months in the wards, before signing a contract. Regular daily off duty is given to ensure a working week of 48 hours. The Block system of education is in force, and the Student Nurses receive theoretical training from qualified Sister Tutors and obtain excellent practical experience in the wards under the supervision of the Ward Sisters. They are required to join the National Health Service Superannuation Scheme on entering the profession, and are encouraged to join recreation clubs and the Student Nurses' Association of the College of Nursing.

For further particulars apply by letter to the Principal of the School of Nursing, Matron, Manchester Royal Infirmary, Manchester, 13. (88)

HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL HASLEMERE, SURREY

Student Nurses. Vacancies for May Preliminary Training School.

For brochure and particulars apply to Matron (2075)

CHICHESTER
ROYAL WEST SUSSEX HOSPITAL
Student Nurses

Candidates of good education (female) REQUIRED for general training. Apply to Matron for full particulars. (90)

DERBY AREA No. I HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY
(250 Beds)

Applications are invited for **Student Nurses** (Male or Female) for three years' General Training (Male—non-resident).

Candidates must be over 17½ years. Nurses on the Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. Training allowance and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations.

Applications to Matron, who will be pleased to forward full particulars and arrange an interview. (1716)

GROUP 25 BIRMINGHAM (SELLY OAK) HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
LITTLE BROMWICH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9
(748 Beds)

Student Nurses required for combined scheme of General training: 1st year at Little Bromwich Hospital, 2nd and 3rd years at Selly Oak Hospital East. Age 18 years and over. Training allowance: £200 1st year, £210 2nd year, £225 3rd year; less £100 for board, lodgings and uniform.

Student Nurses required for two years' Fever training. Age 18 years and over. Training allowance: £200 1st year, £210 2nd year, less £100 board, lodging and uniform.

Further particulars from Matron. (1893)

NORTH MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL
SILVER STREET, EDMONTON, N.18
(1,028 Beds)

Applications are invited for the following appointments. Apply to Matron.

Student Nurses. Vacancies April 21st, 1952. Candidates should be not less than 18 years of age. Three years' training for State Examination in General Nursing. Training allowance in accordance with the Nurses Whitley Council recommendations: 1st year £200 per annum, 2nd year £210 per annum, 3rd year £225 per annum. An amount of £100 per annum is charged for board and lodging.

Pupil Midwives. Vacancies April 1st and July 1st, 1952.

S.R.N.s accepted for six months' training for Part I C.M.B. Examination.

Training for Certificate in Obstetrics Analgesia also given. Training allowance in accordance with the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council recommendations: £230 per annum. An amount of £100 per annum is charged for board and lodging. (1726)

HAREFIELD AND NORTHWOOD GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
HAREFIELD HOSPITAL, HAREFIELD, MIDDX.

Complete General Training School for Male and Female Nurses. Approved by the General Nursing Council for England and Wales, and also Training School for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

Students accepted for:—

(1) General and Tuberculosis Training (four years). Training allowance: £205, £215, £275, £285 p.a. (subject to Nurse obtaining B.T.A. Certificate). Special allowance of £60 on completion of two years' training in tuberculosis nursing.

(2) British Tuberculosis Association Certificate only (two years). Training allowance: £205, £215 p.a. Special allowance of £60 on completion of two years' training in tuberculosis nursing.

(3) General Training only (three years). Training allowance: £200, £210, £225 p.a.

Male Student Nurses for all courses of training have an additional yearly allowance of £14 6s. (Post-Registration Students accepted).

Large modern Hospital. First-class facilities for Nursing training, including Study Day. Situated in Green Belt near London.

Application forms from Matron. (8)

Group 25 Birmingham (Selly Oak) Hospital Management Committee
SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29
Approved by the General Nursing Council for General Training

There are vacancies for **Student Nurses** at Selly Oak Hospital (East), which is an Acute General Hospital with large Casualty and Out-Patient Departments. The training is for three years and three months, the first three months being spent in the Preliminary Training School at the Hospital. The Study Day method of training.

The next School commences on 8th May, 1952, and thereafter at three-monthly intervals. Registered Mental, Fever and Children's trained Nurses accepted for two years' training.

For further particulars apply to Miss E. D. Poole, Matron, Selly Oak Hospital East. (1612)

HALLAM HOSPITAL, HALLAM STREET WEST BROMWICH
Complete General Training School for Male and Female Nurses
(440 Beds)

Student Nurses required. Must be 17½ years of age. Three years' training. Nurses holding either S.R. Fever, Mental or Children's Certificate accepted for two years' training.

For full particulars and application form apply to Matron. (1932)

HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT G HACKNEY GROUP (No. GERMAN HOSPITAL, DALT

Student Nurses required. Ap invited from well-educated girls and over for three years' training Nursing, including 3 months in the ary Training School. The Block in operation. Candidates on the plementary Register are accepted years' training.

A training allowance is given year, £210 2nd year, £225 3rd which a deduction at the rate of annum is made for board, lodging use of uniform, etc.

48-hour week; 28 days' annual full allowance.

Application forms may be obt the Matron.

LIVERPOOL REGION CHILD HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT C ALDER HEY CHILDREN'S HO LIVERPOOL, 12

Student Nurses required April 1952. Candidates may train for General or the Children's Region Apply Matron.

ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL STOCKWOOD PARK, LUT In connection with St. Bartho Hospital (Children's Orthop

There are vacancies for young **Probationer Nurses** for one or two training. Suitable for girls prior General or Children's Training.

Lectures given by medical staff. Salary: £65 per annum, £75 in second year, and £90 in Uniform provided. One month's annum. Forty-eight hour week.

Apply Matron.

GROUP 25 BIRMINGHAM (SELL HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT CO CAHWELL HALL BABIES' HO Nr. SUTTON COLDFIELD, BIRM
STUDENT NURSES

Students are accepted for General for three years and three mon 18—30 years. The first six mon spent at the Babies' Hospital, the in Selly Oak Hospital School of

Vacancies May, August and No

Apply Matron.

WEST MIDDLESEX HOSPI ISLEWORTH

Female Student Nurses for S mencing 7th April, 14th July, October, 1952.

Large General Training School. training given in all types of nurs ing children). Training allowance £200, £100 payable for board a 12 weeks' Preliminary Training S day to Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. training in five block periods at intervals. Only two days weekly duty, and on night duty two weekly, followed by 10 p.m. duty.

Recreational centre, tennis, hock ming and indoor sports.

At

QUEEN MARY MATERNITY (West Middlesex Hospital

Pupil Midwives for School com August, 1952. Each has one "S per week. (All Pupil Midwives outside the Hospital).

The Queen Mary Maternity U of 100 beds and 78 cots, and a Wing of 15 cots. Part I Training Pupil Midwives. Experience in Ante-Natal, Labour Wing, Lying Paediatric Wing.

At

CHISWICK MATERNITY (Annexe of West Middlesex H

Pupil Midwives for School com November, 1952.

Application forms obtainable Matron, West Middlesex Hospital.

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPI GENERAL INFIRMARY AT L
(845 Beds)

There are vacancies for Stu The curriculum of training covers of three years, excluding the pe Preliminary Training School, fo further nine months' service as a S when Staff Nurse's salary of £215 is paid.

A good standard of education The Block system of training Candidates on a Supplementary accepted for a shortened period of

A training allowance of £200 the first year, £210 for the second a single payment of £1 after Preliminary State Examination, and the third year. From this allow ment to the Hospital of £100 pe made for board and lodgings. Registration, Nurses will receive annum; of this, £120 is paid to th for board and lodgings.

For further particulars apply to the Matron of the General Infirmary who will be pleased to interview prospective candidates.

...TER, STROUD & THE FOREST ...TAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE ...TERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL

...are vacancies for **Student Nurses** at ...e Hospital. Twelve weeks spent in ...ing School. Modified block system ...r established.
...ations should be sent to Matron, ...rshire Royal Hospital, Southgate ...Gloucester. (82)

...LIFAX GENERAL HOSPITAL
(425 Beds)
...ary Training School for Male and Female Nurses

...ies April, July and October, 1952, ...weeks' course prior to three years' ...training. Nurses on Supplementary ...accepted for two years' course in ...training.
...ations to Matron. (967)

...TAINES GROUP HOSPITAL ...ANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
STUDENT NURSES

...ations are invited from well-educated ...vacancies in the Preliminary Train... ...d at Ashford Hospital, Middlesex. ...a General Hospital of approx. 600 ...chools commence 25th March, 1952, ...e, 1952, and 23rd September, 1952. ...s entering after 1st August, 1952. ...18 years of age.
...training consists of three years ...nths' course on Block system of ...; 96-hour working fortnight. Salary: ...£200, 2nd year £210, 3rd year £225 ...£100 for residence. Candidates ...years of age are subject to super...
...ations to Matron of Hospital. (159)

...ERAL HOSPITAL, ROCHFORD ESSEX

...d, **Male and Female Student Nurses** ...al Training. Applicants age 18 to ... Training, three years and three ... Vacancies 1st April, 1952. Accom... ...for female candidates in modern ...Home. Male candidates non-resident. ...£200 first year, £210 second year, ...third year of training, plus certain ...allowances. A charge at the rate ...per annum will be made to resident ...applicants for accommodation, etc. ...provided.
...ations to the Matron, from whom ...information may be obtained if de... (1649)

SPRINGFIELD HOSPITAL ...CROFT ROAD, UPPER TOOTING LONDON, S.W.17

...**Nurses** (Female) required. The ...is a recognised Training School for ...Nurses, employing all modern treat... ...for nervous and mental disorders. ...system in operation. Situated ...5 minutes of London's West End, it ...modern well-furnished Nurses' Home, ...vision rooms, etc. An active Social ...for all forms of recreation and ...Third-class single fare from home to ...refunded to Students after taking up ...ent.
...allowances: £230 per annum 1st ...£240 per annum 2nd year, and £255 ...3rd year, together with depen... ...allowances where applicable. Cash ...of £50 in addition are made dur... ...ng.
...to Matron for illustrated brochure ...further information desired.
...ary Training Schools commence ..., 11th August, 1952. (1752)

...W HOSPITAL, SAMSON STREET PLAISTOW, LONDON, E.13

...**Nurses** (Female) required for two ...year Training for the next Prelimin... ...ing School, aged 17 years and over. ...allowance in accordance with the ...d Midwives Whitley Council: First ..., less £100 for board and lodging. ...to Matron. (1733)

...AFFORD TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES
...spital, General Infirmary, Stafford)

...are vacancies for **Student Nurses**, ...Female, in April and September
...s, who may be resident or non... ...spend the first three months in the ...ry Training School and are given ...and tuition throughout their train... ...e Sister Tutors and Medical Staff.
...allowances and conditions of ser... ...in accordance with Whitley Council ..., i.e., £200 1st year, £210 2nd year, ...3rd year, less £100 per annum for ...d lodging if resident.
...are on duty 48 hours per week, ...lecture periods, and one month's ...ve is granted.
...tes must be 17 years of age r ...ed standard of health and educa... ...uired.
...particulars may be obtained from ...n, General Infirmary, Stafford, to ...plication should be made, and who ...leased to interview candidates and ...ates.

H. H. JONES,
Secretary to the Committee.
(1975)

AYLESBURY SCHOOL OF NURSING

Incorporating
STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL (624 Beds)
ROYAL BUCKINGHAMSHIRE HOSPITAL (105 Beds)
TINDAL GENERAL HOSPITAL (155 Beds)

Vacancies exist in the Training School for **Male and Female Student Nurses.** Candidates must be at least 18 years of age and have attained a good standard of education.

Students are accepted into the Preliminary School on the 1st May, August, November and February.

Block system of training, lectures by medical staff and qualified Tutors.

Training allowances: £200 first year, £210 second year, £225 third year, less £100 for board and lodging. Single cash payment of £5 is made to Nurses on passing the Preliminary State Examination. Uniform is provided. Four weeks' annual holiday.

Modern Nurses' Homes, separate bedrooms, recreation rooms, Hospital transport. All Hospitals within easy reach of London and Oxford.

Post-Registration Students accepted for two years' training.

Applications to the Matron of any of the Unit Hospitals. (2190)

EDGWARE GENERAL HOSPITAL

STUDENT NURSES

Vacancies exist for **Male and Female Student Nurses** in the Preliminary Training Schools commencing 31st March and 1st July, 1952.

Candidates should be 18 years of age and can be resident or non-resident. Three years' course for State Registration under fully qualified staff of Tutors. Block system of training and shift system of duty. Salary: £200 per annum, rising by annual increments to £225, less £100 per annum in respect of full residential emoluments. Uniform provided and laundered thereof. Four weeks' annual leave.

This is a large modern Hospital with comfortable Nurses' Home, situated in pleasant grounds within easy reach of the centre of London.

Application should be made in writing to the Matron, Edgware General Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex. (2110)

BANGOUR HOSPITAL

GENERAL TRAINING SCHOOL
STUDENT NURSES

Applications are invited from well-educated Girls of not less than 17½ years of age for entrance to the Preliminary Training School, commencing 7th April, 1952, 1st September, 1952, and January, 1953.

Further particulars and forms of application can be obtained from the Associate Matron, Bangour Hospital, Broxburn, West Lothian. (2042)

ROYAL HOSPITAL, RICHMOND, SURREY

Student Nurses required for the next Preliminary Training School commencing April 28th. Complete Training School, within easy reach of London. Resident Sister Tutor.

Apply to the Matron. (2101)

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN

COMPLETE GENERAL TRAINING SCHOOL

Student Nurses required. Applications are invited from well-educated girls of 18 years and over for three years' training in general nursing, including three months in the Preliminary Training School. Candidates on the Supplementary Registers are accepted for two years' training.

Modern Nurses' Home with every convenience, situated in its own grounds and within very easy reach of Central London.

Brochure, application form and any further particulars may be obtained from the Matron. (2224)

GUILDFORD GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD, SURREY

Student Nurses (Male and Female) required at St. Luke's Hospital, Guildford. Training allowance: First year £200 p.a., second year £210 p.a., third year £225 p.a., less £100 p.a. for residence. Preliminary Training Schools commence February, May, August and November in each year.

Application forms and further particulars from the Matron of the Hospital. (2186)

GRANTHAM AND KESTEVEN GENERAL HOSPITAL MANTHORPE ROAD, GRANTHAM, LINCS

Applications are invited from well-educated young Women between 18 and 30 years. Three years' Student Nurse Training, including 12 weeks' Preliminary Training School.

Modified block system of training, with 48-hour week.

Vacancies June and October, 1952.

Candidates on the Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley scale.

Application forms from the Matron. (2261)

GLOUCESTER, STROUD AND THE FOREST HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

STROUD GENERAL HOSPITAL

There are a limited number of vacancies for **Student Nurses** at the above Hospital. Resident Sister Tutor.

Applications should be made to Matron, who will be pleased to interview candidates. (2156)

NURSING

Young ladies received for training in General Nursing in preparation for State Registration Certificate.

Training allowance: £200 for first year, rising to £225 in the third year, from which £100 is deducted for board, lodging and uniform. The Nurses' Home affords modern comfort, and excellent food is served. Third-class travelling expenses refunded.

Nurses already on Supplementary Registers received for two years' training.

Apply to:

THE MATRON,
ST. OLAVE'S HOSPITAL,
ROTHERHITHE, LONDON, S.E.16

(2323)

ROTHERHAM HOSPITAL DONCASTER GATE, ROTHERHAM
(Complete General Training School)
(155 Beds)

Student Nurses required, aged 17½ years and over. Training allowances: £200—£225, less £100 for board and lodging, uniform, laundry, etc.

For further particulars and forms of application apply to the Matron. (1785)

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY
(300 Beds)
Complete Training School for Nurses

There are vacancies on 24th March and 9th June for well-educated **Student Nurses**, aged 18—33. Block scheme of training. Modern Nurses' Home. Training allowance: £200—£225 per annum, less £100 for full residential emoluments.

For further particulars apply to Matron. (1805)

WEMBLEY HOSPITAL
(Associated with Charing Cross Hospital)
WEMBLEY, MIDDLESEX

Student Nurses required. Vacancies for August and November Schools.

Period of training, 3½ years. Candidates already on a Supplementary Register are accepted for a shortened period of two years, following three months' trial period.

Modern Hospital within 30 minutes' travelling distance of London.

Illustrated brochure on application to the Matron. (2031)

ANCOATS HOSPITAL, MANCHESTER, 4
Complete General Training School

There are a few vacancies in the May Preliminary Training School for girls of satisfactory education between the ages of 17½ and 32 years.

Training grants: 1st year £200, 2nd year £210, 3rd year £225, with a deduction of £100 for value of emoluments received. Those on the Supplementary Register of the G.N.C. accepted for two years' training.

Please apply to Matron for particulars. (2057)

IPSWICH GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
BRITISH LEGION SANATORIUM
NAYLAND, Near COLCHESTER

Student Nurses (resident) required to train for the Certificate of the Tuberculosis Association. Two-year course, qualifying the Students on obtaining Certificate to take a post of Staff Nurse in a Sanatorium.

Apply Matron. (2068)

SOUTHEND GENERAL HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for vacancies in the Preliminary Training Schools, which will commence on Sunday, 4th May, 1952, and Sunday, 27th July, 1952. Study day scheme of training.

The Hospital is very modern and stands in 26 acres of ground and has two tennis courts, hockey field, etc. Two-year course in General Training available for S.R.F.N. and S.C.R.N.

Apply to Matron. (2309)

GROVELANDS HOSPITAL
SOUTHGATE, LONDON, N.14
(Branch of Royal Northern Hospital)

Pre-Nursing Students who can be received one year before the entry age for general training, required at above Recovery Hospital.

Training allowance commencing at £200 per annum, less a charge of £100 per annum for board, lodging, etc. Subsequent arrangements can be made for entry into the Training School of the Royal Northern Hospital if desired.

Applicants should not be less than 17 years of age. The Hospital is situated in lovely grounds and is within easy reach of Central London.

Apply to Matron for full particulars and dates of earliest vacancies. (x1102)

IPSWICH GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
ST. HELEN'S HOSPITAL, IPSWICH

Female Students required for Fever Training.

Apply Matron. (2141)

THE ROYAL NATIONAL HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST
VENTNOR, I.W.
(249 Beds)
Affiliated Training School

Student Nurses, Male and Female, required, age from 18 years. Two years' training for T.A. Certificate.

Completion of general training, Female Nurses at Royal Isle of Wight County Hospital, Ryde, I.W. Male Nurses at St. Mary's Hospital, Portsmouth.

Salary: £205—£215, with deduction £100 per annum for board-residence.

Apply Matron. (2144)

BATTERSEA AND PUTNEY GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
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REDHILL GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

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SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29

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Training allowance in accordance with the recommendations of the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council, namely: £230 per annum, with a deduction of £100 per annum for the provision of board and lodgings. Uniform provided.

Prospectus may be obtained on application to the Matron, St. Mary's Hospital, Leeds, 12. (87)

HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE, HACKNEY GROUP (No. 6)

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The above Hospital has vacancies during May, July and August for **Pupil Midwives** of S.R.N. status desiring to take the Part I period of Midwifery Training. Gross salary: £230 per annum. Board-residence, uniform and laundry are provided, for which a charge of £100 per annum is made.

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Training allowance in accordance with the recommendations of the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council, viz.: £230 per annum, with a deduction of £100 per annum for the provision of board and lodging. Uniform provided.

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